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Cinderella Brings Magic to ORR

By Jean Perry

The night of Thursday, November 29, will be one of magic at Old Rochester Regional High School (ORR). At 7:30, the curtain will rise and the premier of the ORR Drama Club's fall production of *Cinderella* will have audiences spellbound with magic faster than you can say bibbidi-bobbidi-boo!

Even on the night of Tuesday, November 27, the magicians who comprise the stage crew were busying themselves, not unlike the mice of the beloved fairy tale, sending the sounds of drills, pulling of curtains, and the sliding of sets from every direction. The actors were running around faster than Cinderella could run from the prince at midnight, and all along the encouraging words of ORR's new Drama Club Director Gregory Silver conducted the choreography of the magical chaos that is all part of the preparation to knock your glass slippers off Thursday through Sunday, December 2.

It's the dawning of a new day at ORR, a once-upon-a-time unfolding, if you please. Silver knows that the present moment is simply a continuance of picking up where the past left off and taking it into the future.

"We are maintaining history while putting a

On the cover: Once upon a time – this weekend, actually – at ORRHS, there was a magical transformation of students into stars with the premier of the Drama Club's fall production "Cinderella," a more modern interpretation created by Sally Netzel, directed by ORR's Gregory Silver. The show stars Victoria Kvilhaug as Cinderella and Baylen Brunelle as the Prince. The show runs Thursday, November 29 through Saturday, December 1 at 7:30 pm, with a 2:00 matinee on Sunday, December 2. Here, Jackie Barrett, as the Fairy Godmother, prepares to transform this pumpkin into a coach for Cinderella, played by Victoria Kvilhaug. . Photo by Jean Perry

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modern spin on classic theater," says Silver during a moment of standstill as one group of actors swapped places with another group as the dress rehearsal commenced Tuesday night.

And where the magic lies is in what Silver calls his "five most important": collaboration, communication, respect, technique, and vision.

"That's how you put on a show," Silver said. That's where the amazement, enthusiasm, and talent figuratively turn silver into gold.

For this show, Silver said a lot had to do with reusing, rebuilding, and recreating as a team as the Drama Club moved forward this year. Which, of course, as Silver emphasizes, "At the end of the day it's all about the students. It's all for the students."

Silver kept most of the production under tight wraps, not wanting to disclose too much of the surprise in store for the audiences. And as far as one could tell that night simply by looking around the auditorium, this show will be unlike any other at ORR.

This production of *Cinderella* was arranged by Sally Netzel and is a classic retelling of the fairy tale with some modern twists. Victoria Kvilhaug stars as Cinderella along with Baylen Brunelle as Prince.

The show also features Jackie Barrett, Sarah Melloni, Kate Marsden, Bethany Cabral, Emma Blouin, Luke Couto, Sam Guillotte, Jillian Craig, Eddie Gonet, Andrew Steele, Elise Mello, Emma Williamson, and



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Globe's Shaughnessy Blasts a Home Run

By Marilou Newell

On Saturday, November 24, as people near and far digested yet another turkey sandwich, the Mattapoisett Public Library hosted a Purrington Lecture Series event featuring the well-known *Boston Globe* sports columnist, Dan Shaughnessy.

Shaughnessy was introduced by his sister, Anne Martin, a longtime Mattapoisett resident, whose remembrances of her brother included his passion for baseball.

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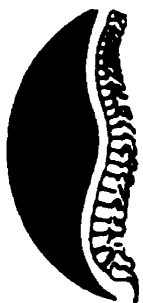
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said Martin, as he played solo in the backyard. She credits that passion and an overall interest in all things sports for helping him find his voice, one that he has used to inform and entertain his readers since 1981. Martin said with pride that Shaughnessy had received the J.G. Taylor Spink Award by the Baseball Hall of Fame in 2016, then invited him to the lectern to rousing applause.

Shaughnessy's sense of humor was on full display as he explained how the following hour would unfold – no PowerPoint presentation, no canned lecture. Instead it was an extemporaneous, witty, clever slide through New England sports followed by questions from the full house audience.

Shaughnessy began by saying that this time of the year was especially important and stressful for school age kids trying out for a place on winter sports teams. He noted his own efforts at securing a varsity position in the shadow of his sister, nodding in Anne's direction, who was the better athlete.

His editor had suggested he write a piece of fiction for the growing young adult audience, which inspired him to ponder one that featured a young girl who hid away at Fenway Park and lived for a season in a luxury box.

"It is the ultimate way to watch a game," said Shaughnessy. "There's food, beverages, and a private bathroom!"

Alas, his book idea never scaled the Green Monster, but he has written six well-received books, including one with former Red Sox Manager Terry Francona that became a best seller, *Francona: The Red Sox Years*.

Fresh from reporting on the Red Sox World Series win, Shaughnessy said the 11 championship titles Boston teams have earned in this century kind of made up for the 86 years that preceded, although, he pointed out, "The Celtics used to win every year."

"I've been to eleven Duck Boat parades. ... If you're a sports writer and live in this century, people are eating it up," Shaughnessy said. "You are being well read."

Joking about that 18-inning, coma-inducing third game of the 2018 World Series, Shaughnessy asked for a show of hands from those who survived the seven-hour and 20-minute game. About five hands valiantly were raised. Shaughnessy joked that the folks out on the west coast were commenting on the lateness of the hour, but he knew that the folks back in Boston were staring down a clock that read 3:00 am.

When asked which Red Sox team was better – the 2004 or 2018 – Shaughnessy didn't hesitate.

"[It was] 2004," he replied. "There were five starters all in their prime." He added that he holds John Henry in very high regard. "Especially since he now owns the *Globe*," a comment that elicited a hearty round of laughter.

Of Manny Ramirez, Shaughnessy called him a

beautiful hitter whose hitting philosophy was, "I see the ball: I hit the ball." More laughter.

Back to the 2018 Red Sox win, when asked his thoughts about Alex Cora not receiving Manager of the Year, he said, "Alex took the team from first place to first place ... with the most expensive team in the league."

And what about that mystery man in the NFL, Ernie Adams, and his intriguing behind-the-scenes coaching of the coach – Belichick that is –Shaughnessy replied, "He makes big decisions, a genius, a very unusual guy: he wouldn't talk to me." He said that no one in the game seems to know what Adams does, but that "he's responsible for a lot."

As for the NBA in terms of the game now being one of 3-point shots exclusively, he said, "It's a different game now. We are baying at the moon. This is the way it's going to go." He said that this type of scoring strategy saved wear and tear on the players, albeit not the game most grew up with.

When asked how he gained access to players and management, Shaughnessy said it's hard to do, but added, "If you've been around long enough ..." Shaughnessy smiled. He said that he didn't have any inside sources, and that he wrote what he knew. "It's established we are not friends." He continued, "Pedro hated me, but now we're pretty good." Shaughnessy's fully engaged audience chuckled along with him.

As the hour grew to a close, Shaughnessy was





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asked if sports and players are too heavily emphasized.

"Hey, movie stars are compensated. ... This is a country with a lot of leisure time." He said he wished that the people teaching our children were as handsomely paid, but that's life in 20th century sports.

After the talk, all were invited to attend a reception on the first floor where refreshments and more sports-talk, along with laughter, were enjoyed.

ORR Honors Legacy of Retired Coach

By Jean Perry

After 41 years, Polly Perkins Lawrence has retired, leaving the field as Old Rochester Regional High

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School's beloved Varsity Field Hockey coach, and her position as teacher's assistant in the classroom.

The impact that Lawrence left on ORR graduate Lauren O'Brien is as strong as the impact she's made on the scores of other girls who played field hockey these past four decades; one that is lasting, based on dedication and selflessness, which is why O'Brien and the rest of those who Lawrence has coached honored her during this year's Field Hockey Banquet with an award in her name – the Lawrence Legacy Award – which Lawrence presented to the first ever recipient, Carly Drew.

O'Brien sums up Lawrence's legacy in one poignant Winston Churchill quote: "We make a living by what we get, but we make a life by what we give."

"She inspires others around her to find their passion, give their time, and find ways to integrate their interests/skills with the needs of others in mind," said O'Brien. "I was honored to have Polly Perkins Lawrence at my first banquet as head coach and to honor her commitment and service with the implementation of the Lawrence Legacy Award."

The award will recognize one student each year," O'Brien told *The Wanderer* on November 26 during a phone interview. "A selfless student athlete who dedicates her time to service and to commitment to the community."

Naming this award after Lawrence, O'Brien said, is appropriate, given that Lawrence herself spent years

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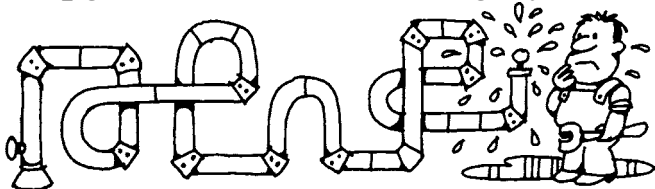


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Lawrence never measured her success by how many wins she coached, said O'Brien.

"It was more about the relationships she fostered along the way. The staff, the players, coaches, referees," said O'Brien. "She built relationships with all of the people she met in the sport."

Lawrence has coached alongside JV Field Hockey Coach Kate Souza for over 30 years, who remains as head JV Field Hockey Coach.

O'Brien, who was raised in Rochester and now resides in Fairhaven. She attended the Field Hockey Banquet that was held on November 13.

Tabor Grad Competes in Cross-Country Nationals

Tabor Academy graduate and former Tabor correspondent for *The Wanderer*, Julia O'Rourke, is going the distance as a cross-country runner at Bowdoin College, even coming in 15th place out of 398 runners recently, a personal best for her at 2:25:39, qualifying her to compete in the NCAA DIII Cross Country National Championships as senior co-captain of Bowdoin College.

The national championship in Wisconsin on November 17 was O'Rourke's last collegiate cross-country race. She finished 117th out of 279 and ran 6:04-minute miles for the 6k race, despite the bitter cold temperatures in the 20s.

O'Rourke was a cross-country and spring track runner at Old Rochester Regional Junior High School and



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at Tabor Academy under coach Kelli McSweeney. Her first race was the Marion Mile started by Chris Adams, the Tabor Academy track coach and Spanish teacher, while O'Rourke was still at Sippican School!

Local Does Just 'Ducky' at National Dog Show By Marilou Newell

For many of us, gushing over rows of indescribably adorable dogs has become a Thanksgiving Day tradition of oohing and aahing in front of the television while watching the Annual National Dog Show.

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For the last 14 years, Annie Henshaw of Mattapoisett has been training and showing dogs. That's no small feat when you consider that she'll be turning 21 in a few days. That's right – Henshaw has been working with dogs since she was only seven years old.

Growing up on the Mattapoisett family farm and kennel known as Poissett Kennel, Henshaw learned at a very early age just how important it is to breed animals from healthy stock as well as training them.

Henshaw's grandparents, George and Paulie, have been breeding, raising, training, and showing dogs for decades. But it wasn't until she was seven years of age that Henshaw became aware of how much she enjoyed the whole process. As her grandparents prepared to leave the farm one day, Henshaw asked, "Where are you going?" Her grandmother replied, "To train the dogs."

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didn't really know it at the time. "I loved it and wanted to keep on doing it."

Though her grandparents have raised a variety of breeds over the years, it was the Chesapeake Bay retriever that became the main breed the Henshaws would be drawn to.

"My grandmother saw one at a show and said, 'I have to have one.'"

The rest has become history.

Henshaw said the Chesapeake Bay retriever is an intelligent animal, one whose loyalty can only equate to its protective tendencies, something that can prove dangerous, even, Henshaw commented.

"They can be extremely stubborn, so early

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training is mandatory." She said the breed has the ability to problem solve, a unique trait in dogs, but, again, one that can get them into trouble.

Still, their hardworking natural talents coupled with their devotion to their owners can produce a well-balanced family dog if the humans do it right, attests Henshaw.

The family breeds their dogs once every two years at the Poissett Kennel, but not for profit, said Henshaw. While some dogs are in fact sold, the cost of breeding and raising healthy animals quickly outpaces any compensation they receive from the sale of a single dog.

"My grandmother doesn't make any money," she chuckled.

Currently, the kennel is home to eight dogs.

As for the dog show circuit that Henshaw has just recently returned from with Ducky, not unlike other competitive endeavors, it is a sub-culture unto itself, she explained.

"For dog show people, it's all that matters," she said. The shows can be a drudge to those who don't enjoy the atmosphere and the competition, she added. "There's a lot of hurry up to wait."

One upside of showing these sporting dogs is that their grooming is effortless – au naturel. Henshaw said that the judges look for the water-resistant coats to be oily, making it unnecessary to bath them prior to showing. Just a quick combing and brushing and they are ready to go.

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The two big dog shows most people are familiar with are the Thanksgiving Day Annual National Dog Show, which is the most heavily attended, Henshaw said, and the Westminster Kennel Club Dog Show that she described as the most "prestigious." Over the years, Poissett's dogs have earned nine titles, with Ducky taking a championship in addition to Grand, Silver, and Gold.

Working with animals and doing it well takes a special type of person whose passion supersedes all other endeavors. For Henshaw, as much as she has enjoyed the dogs and all that showing them entails, she always felt it was just a great hobby. So after she graduated from Old Rochester Regional High School in 2016, she began pursuing a career in the health care industry.



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"I fought the feeling of working with dogs as a career for a long time," admitted Henshaw. But now, as she is about to graduate from Bristol Community College, Henshaw is fully embracing dog training as a profession, but not just any type of dog training – the intense and critical training that prepares dogs and their handlers for security work known as Schutzhund, which means "protection dog" in German.

Henshaw also hopes to start her own business as training German shepherds. Comparing the shepherds to the Chesapeakes, she said, "The Chesapeakes are the only sporting breed mentally and physically strong enough to handle Schutzhund training."

Because of her many years in and around the dog show and training circuits, Henshaw has gained knowledge of the dos and don'ts when considering the purchase of a dog.

"It's extremely important to go to a responsible breeder," said Henshaw. "Just because someone knows a lot about a breed doesn't mean they are good." She said that puppy mills might masquerade as quality breeders, so doing research is necessary. "If their main source of income is selling dogs, don't get that dog!" She said that genetic testing for disease is another critical element in understanding if a dog is healthy.

"My grandparents gave me this gift," Henshaw said. "I just always wanted to be with their dogs." And now, as her future unfolds, it looks like the Poissett Kennel

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will one day be in good hands.

"When my grandmother decides she's done, I'll do it," she said.

Voters Adopt Amended Medical Cannabis Bylaw

Mattapoisett Special Town Meeting

By Jean Perry

After nearly an hour of deliberation, one blunt resident urged his fellow voters to "get out of the weeds," so to speak, poking pun that it was high time to take a vote on the Medical Marijuana Treatment Center bylaw that sparked debate during the Mattapoisett Special Town Meeting Monday night, November 26.

Planning Board Chairman Tom Tucker introduced Article 1 that restricts medical marijuana treatment centers (MMTC) to the Limited Industry Zone, the result of a joint effort between the board and various other town officials to institute zoning so these establishments could not set up shop anywhere in the General Business zone upon the December 31 expiration of the temporary moratorium.

"We cannot deny a medical marijuana center in town; however, we can regulate where it is," Tucker said.

As "empathetic and sympathetic to the Planning Board" as he said he was, resident Don Fleming took a few hits at strengthening the language of the article, despite Tucker's plea that this debate should not be

happening on Town Meeting floor; rather, residents had several opportunities to voice concerns during several public forums and public hearings.

Nonetheless, Fleming proposed three amendments – one to include explicit language that a MMTC could not convert to adult-use cannabis establishments (despite Town Meeting's prior vote to ban adult-use cannabis businesses that would already preclude this), another requiring the applicant of a MMTC license to disclose all operating agreements if the business was a LLC (although the state's competitive and rigorous licensing process thoroughly vets applicants and their business structure prior to issuing a license), and a third amendment to add "investors" in the section of the article that already states that applicants must issue a statement under oath disclosing all "owners, shareholders, partners, members, managers, directors, officers, or other similar parties, representatives and entities and their addresses."

According to Fleming, when an applicant must demonstrate \$500,000 in assets before receiving a marijuana establishment license, "you invite some interesting people into the game." Making an applicant disclose funding sources, he said, lets the Town know "who they are dealing with."

"Is it gambling money coming in?" Fleming asked, or perhaps money that would somehow be of concern?

Although Tucker explained that all of this was already regulated under the state's laws, Fleming said he was more of a "belt and suspenders kind of person," and preferred explicit language.

Moderator John Eklund called for a brief recess in order to consult with town counsel on language that would pack it all in and roll it into legal motions. Fleming's ensuing motions continued the debate, with Fleming garnering enough votes to pass his first motion to add language to prevent adult-use marijuana conversion, but struck out on his second motion. By the time Fleming was discussing his third motion to add "investors," resident Don Cuddy was ready to move on.

"This is a solution looking for a problem," Cuddy said, pointing out that it felt more like 1960 than night than 2018. "A few years from now, [cannabis shops] will be as common as Dunkin' Donuts. ... And if anybody hasn't noticed, Pablo Escobar is now in custody, so the Colombian cartels won't be targeting Mattapoisett any time soon.


"Let's get out of the weeds here," said Cuddy. "Pun intended."

The main motion with the one amendment was eventually adopted 90-3.

Voters also approved Article 8, appropriating \$225,000 for a new ambulance for the Police Department. As Police Chief Mary Lyons explained, \$100,000 would come from ambulance receipts, and the Town would borrow the remaining \$125,000.

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that is "beyond its useful life" and "on its last leg," Lyons stated.

Lyons also mustered support for Article 9 appropriating Mattapoisett's share of \$135,000 for a police radio communication upgrade project with Acushnet and Fairhaven.

The system will be upgraded from an analog to a digital analog system that allows for redundancy should power fail in Mattapoisett.

Of the \$135,000 total, \$39,000 will come from previous article balances and \$96,000 from free cash.

Article 10 also passed, appropriating \$10,000 towards the design, engineering, permitting, and approvals needed to improve, renovate, and rehabilitate Industrial Drive. Further work includes improving the intersection of Industrial Drive and North Street, the pedestrian crossing on North Street, and the development of a shared multi-use path (bike path) from North Street to the Marion Town line.

Sponsored by the Board of Selectmen, the \$800,000 project would be funded in part by a grant the Town is requesting through the DOT bill grant.

Article 11 passed as well, although resident Jody Bauer questioned one of the six capital improvement projects that totaled \$128,500 altogether.

The \$40,000 request to pave what the article stated simply as "parking lot Barstow Street" prompted Bauer to ask why the Town would be funding a parking lot that belongs to the Mattapoisett Congregational Church.

Town Administrator Mike Gagne said the church allows the Council on Aging to use the lot during the week, and a written agreement between the church and the Town would be required before the paving. As of Town Meeting, there was no written agreement presented to voters.

"We won't move unless the church actually makes the ... agreement," Gagne said.

The other capital projects included in the article were \$15,000 for the Fire Department outboard motor replacement; \$7,500 for fire truck lighting upgrades; \$16,000 for COA facility upgrades; \$35,000 for bike path safety crossing lights; and \$35,000 for unspecified Town



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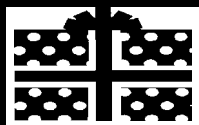
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Voters also approved Article 16 appropriating \$25,000 for the Town's share of a new 23-foot 400-gallon capacity pumpout boat for the Harbormaster's Department. Another \$56,000 will be provided through a grant from the Clean Vessel Program.

Article 20 received a round of applause from voters upon its adoption, appropriating \$88,426 for an emergency power generator at the Mattapoisett Housing Authority Complex.

The complex that mostly offers senior housing suffered long bouts without electricity during winter storms this prior season, prompting Selectman Jordan Collyer to bring up the concern to the lieutenant governor who in turn offered the Town a grant to fund the entire project. The Town will pay for the installation and receive full reimbursement after.

Other articles that passed:

Article 2 to amend the general Bylaws to include a new section, 2.18, essentially adopting the Mullin Rule that allows committee, commission, and board members to vote on a matter if they are absent from one session of the public hearing, so long as the member becomes familiarized with the matter through review of submittals, filings, documents, and recording of the meeting.

Article 3 to appropriate a total of \$400,000 from Certified Free Cash to stabilization funds as follows: \$50,000 to the Special Education Reserve Stabilization Fund, \$100,000 to the Debt Service Stabilization Fund, \$100,000 to the Long Term Stabilization Fund, and \$150,000 to the Capital Improvement Stabilization Fund.

Article 4 for \$10,000 to review the Town's Zoning Bylaws, Rules, and Regulations.

Article 5 to borrow \$100,000, use \$201,250 from past article project money, and use \$498,750 in grant money for a total of \$800,000 to replace the water main at Pease's Point.

Article 6 to enter into a 20-year payment in lieu of taxes (PILOT) agreement with solar developer BWC Pine Island Brook, LLC.

Article 7 for \$80,174 to supplement various departments as follows: \$7,643 to the water Department; \$67,506 to the Sewer Department; and \$5,025 to the



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Article 12 for \$40,000 for repairs, improvements, renovations, and restoration work at the Town Wharf and dock facilities and other Town properties on the waterfront.

Article 13 for \$155,965 to supplement various Fiscal Year 2019 budget line items as follows: \$5,000 to Recreation; \$60,000 to the Fire Department; \$40,000 to the Reserve Fund; \$6,500 to the Town Accountant; \$15,265 to the Town Treasurer/Collector; \$7,200 to the Selectmen; \$16,000 to the Police; and \$6,000 to the Waterfront Enterprise.

Article 14 for \$11,699.66 for payment of a prior year bill for solid waste disposal.



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Article 15 for \$22,000 – of which \$12,000 goes to Health Department Inspector Salaries and \$10,000 to Town Solid Waste Disposal.

Article 17 for \$30,000 for plans and bidding for Town projects “including but not limited to” solar on the Town landfill, and vaguely listed projects such as harbor improvements and dredging, compliance to the EMA MS4 regulations, and the OSHA Workplace Safety Act – nothing specified in the article.

Article 18 for \$45,000 to make public works “improvements” such as defects in sidewalks, stormwater drainage in certain neighborhoods, and the design and engineering of road improvement projects – nothing specified in the article.

Article 19 for \$65,000 for the Funding Reserve for Accrued Liability covering the costs associated with Town employee retirement.

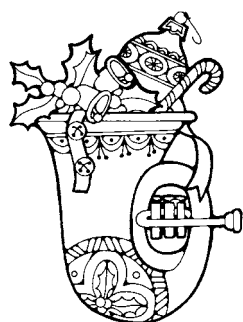
Going Green is Imminent for Marion

Marion Energy Management Committee

By Sarah French Storer

David Pierce, the chair of the Marion Energy Management Committee, remarked that he had one goal for the committee at the start of his tenure – for the town to become a Green Community. Monday night the committee moved Marion a little closer to that goal.

Town Planner Gil Hilario, who could not attend the meeting, provided via email an update on the Town's



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application to the Massachusetts Department of Energy Resources (DOER). The application is largely complete, but there were some items DOER needed clarified. Once the DOER receives the updated information, the town should receive news on the Green Communities designation within a few months.

Committee member Bill Saltonstall suggested the committee focus on using the initial grant money on short duration projects, saying, "If what we do with the first grant money takes a long time, it will hold us up getting more grant money."

Pierce suggested the committee identify low-hanging fruit and recommend those projects to the Board of Selectmen, which makes the decision on the projects to pursue.

As a Green Community, the Town is committed to reducing its energy use by 20 percent in five years. Saltonstall proposed the committee look at fuel use by individual Town vehicles, which he described as a "big, big number." He offered to look at Town records to determine how much fuel each vehicle is using.

The committee briefly revisited the question of the proposed solar array on Wareham Street. Pierce noted that he had attended a Tree Committee meeting, describing what he perceived as considerable angst over the clear-cutting for the solar project.

Christian Ingerslev, an Energy Management Committee member who had attended the Planning

Board's public hearing on the solar project earlier in the month, said he felt the Town was not getting enough out of the project to warrant its approval.

Committee member Eileen Marum, who is also a member of the Planning Board, lamented that the Town is "working toward energy independence," and "working towards dealing with climate change."

"The stumbling block is the tree-clearing," said Marum.

In other matters, the committee's longtime effort to acquire LED street light fixtures is close to fruition.

Saltonstall reported that delivery and installation of the lights will begin the first week of December and should be completed within two weeks of the start date. Saltonstall intends to perform inspection of the work, and he reminded the committee that, once the work is complete, grant applications could be submitted to reduce the total cost of the lights down to 60 percent.

Also during the meeting, committee member Jim Bride submitted an outline for a new effort to promote energy savings for local businesses.

Bride made a number of proposals in which the Town would help local businesses save energy and, in turn, ways in which local businesses could help the Town save energy.

Some of the ideas included installing smart meters and sensors in Town buildings to monitor energy use, a Town-hosted energy fair and a series of workshops



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to educate businesses on how to reduce energy use, and contacting major businesses like Cumberland Farms or Lockheed Martin to inquire how they manage and reduce energy costs and how that may be applied to town buildings.

The next meeting of the Marion Energy Management Committee is scheduled for January 28 at 7:00 pm at the Marion Music Hall.

ConCom, Developer Ready for Wetlands Solution

Rochester Conservation Commission

By Jean Perry

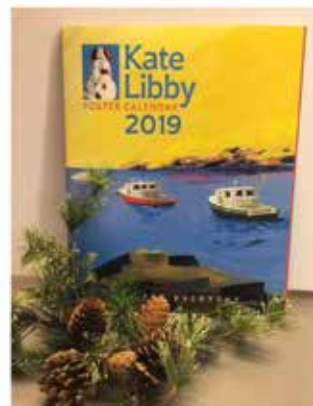
"I'm not interested" isn't the direction that

those present for the proposed Village at Plumb Corner age-restricted housing development were hoping for at the November 20 Rochester Conservation Commission meeting, but that's what Chairman Mike Conway told one attorney and engineer as the continued public hearing was again opened.

Conway wasn't interested in anything that didn't directly pertain to the Notice of Intent, which didn't include an explanation from the property owner's attorney Peter Paul. In fact, Conway wasn't interested in discussing the NOI at all unless abutters were re-notified beforehand.

"This has been continued for six times," said Conway. "For us to talk about the merits of the [NOI]

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today," you need to notify abutters all over again, he told them. All Conway wanted to talk about that night was the illicit discharge of stormwater into the wetlands behind the property, and that wasn't until later in the agenda.

In the meantime, John Churchill on behalf of REpurpose Properties continued the hearing until January 22 and agreed to notify the abutters.

Later, after the rest of the agenda was done, Brian Wallace gave an overview of the four current options for stormwater control and how each one would impact the existing wetlands. With an outstanding incomplete Order of Conditions from the 1990s still hanging over the project, it seemed as though the developer could do nothing that both the commission and the Planning Board

would approve of. Nonetheless, one of the options – at least a possible hybrid of two of them – appealed to the commission.

Currently there is no treatment of the stormwater runoff from Plumb Corner Mall before it flows into the wetlands, and both the developer and his engineers are hoping that an option to filtrate the stormwater that now passes into the wetlands would be acceptable to the commission instead of diverting it, a concern the commission also had as a decrease in water flow would likely impact the wetlands to some unknown degree.

Although the wetlands appear to be ground-fed, they have grown in size since the Plumb Corner Mall project. The pipe that fed the untreated stormwater was only discovered recently, said Conservation Agent Laurell Farinon, and the original order for the plan was never completed.

Churchill repeated often that it was his preference to mirror what was happening now, and offered to file a new NOI in order to get the project moving forward again. Only this time, he said, "We will be able control how much water – treated water – gets put into that [wetlands]. ... We have the ability and controls in place to be able to do that."

The discussion included other options that include catch basins and diverting the stormwater into a field and simply allowing it to infiltrate into the ground, but all the group really needed that night was direction from the commission.

"Are we on the right page?" Churchill asked. "Because we've been spinning our wheels for five months – not because of your board, but because we've been spinning our wheels on how to come up with a solution that became our client's [problem]."

According to Farinon, the wetlands support vernal pool species, observed during a springtime visit to the site. Clearly, maintaining this wetland is a priority for the commission.

As Churchill emphasized, he prefers to eliminate the pollutants from the discharge and make it clean before it hits the wetlands. Farinon acknowledged that the group was at a critical stage in the planning process and really



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needed the commission to provide the direction the group asked for moving forward.

"My opinion on this is, design the storage you need to meet the current flows to that wetland," said commission member Daniel Gagne. "Get the same amount of water, clean – provide scour protection. That is, I think, a reasonable solution."

"That's on board with what the consultant with the Planning Board would want," said Churchill.

"We don't want a design that's going to cut [the wetlands] off and turn it into something else, or impair its capacity to continue to serve as a vernal pool," said Farinon.

Town Planner Steve Starrett spoke in defense of



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REpurpose et al., saying, "These gentlemen are actually spending a lot of time and effort on this project. ... We're looking for direction. We have to make a decision [relative to] what the Conservation really wants to do."

Conway told Churchill to file a new NOI in the end, and the commission agreed to seek advice from town counsel on how to handle the existing OOC as the commission moves forward with the applicant.

In other matters, at Farinon's recommendation, the commission approved the Notice of Intent for Joseph Longo of CorGo LLC, to build a single-family house, driveway, septic system, and drinking water well at 91 Sarah Sherman Road, within the 100-foot buffer zone of the wetlands, and a portion of the work within the



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200-foot Outer Riparian Zone of Sherman Brook. The commission added the special condition that a pre-construction meeting be held prior to commencement of work.

Also during the meeting, Conway gave engineer Bob Rogers some flak for an outstanding 21-year-old incomplete Order of Conditions after a Certificate of Compliance was requested by applicant Decas Real Estate Trust for 15 Cranberry Highway for two commercial buildings, parking, drainage, and utilities. Some of the specs from the original plan deviated in some ways as reported by engineering consultant Bill Madden. Rogers said it wasn't like he was there to just "let us off the hook" so the property owner could move ahead with selling the property; rather, he continued, "I just wanted to put all our cards on the table." The hearing was continued until December 18.

The commission approved a request for a Certificate of Compliance for Waterman Realty Trust for 802 Walnut Plain Road for single-family house, driveway, and grading.

At the request of applicant Steve Long from Borrego Solar Systems, the public hearing for an Abbreviated Notice of Resource Area Delineation at 75 Vaughan Hill Road was continued until December 4.

The next meeting of the Rochester Conservation Commission is scheduled for December 4 at 7:00 pm at the Rochester Town Hall.

ORR Football Set for State Title Contest

High School Sports Update

By Nick Friar

It's been a long road, but Old Rochester Regional (ORR) football finally has its sights fully set on the MIAA Football Division 6 State Championship game at Gillette Stadium in Foxboro on Saturday at 3:30 pm.

"[Monday] was really the first day it had sunken in," said ORR coach Justin Kogler. "Last week it was still kind of focusing on Apponequet, Thanksgiving, and everything else."

Old Rochester had a two-week break from postseason play after winning the South Sectional Finals. The first week was a bye for the Bulldogs as North Sectional Champion Stoneham coasted 45-7 past Central Sectional Champion Littleton to get a shot at the big game. Then Old Rochester had its annual Thanksgiving Day game against Apponequet, in which the Bulldogs cruised to a 35-14 win, keeping the undefeated season (11-0) intact.

Will Garcia ran for three touchdowns and 190 yards on 16 carries against the Lakers, while **Desmond Dias** almost kept pace by rushing for 113 yards and a touchdown on 15 carries.

But the win and holiday have come and gone. Now the Bulldogs are focused on one thing alone – finding a way to beat Stoneham.

"To be honest, that was the first time in my coaching career I just wanted Thanksgiving to go away," Kogler said. "I just wanted that game out of the way, which is sad because the Apponequet Thanksgiving Day game is a great tradition. But knowing what was ahead, I kind of wanted that game gone. And I knew I had to play starters and just was praying we get out of there healthy."

As the Bulldogs have assessed the film and scouting reports throughout their preparation, they've found Stoneham bears comparison to Dighton-Rehoboth, which happened to be the team to snap ORR's shutout streak in Week 4 of the season.

"I'd say [they're most similar to] Dighton-Rehoboth because they run a lot and are a very tough team," linebacker **Dylan DeWolfe** said. "But also, last

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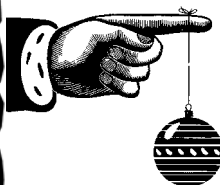
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year's Wareham team ran that same offense. Just that tough, gritty, run-right-through-you kind of offense and that's what we're preparing for."

However, Stoneham will likely turn out to be an amplified version of the Falcons, given the Spartans are one of the highest scoring offenses in the state, regardless of division. That's a challenge the Bulldogs are certainly well equipped to handle, being one of the top teams in the state defensively, as well as possessing an explosive offense in their own right.

"I think we're going to be pretty good," linebacker Desmond Dias said. "All we have to do is wrap up. If we wrap up, I think we can win this game."

Tabor Academy

Tabor Academy girls soccer coach Steve Sughrue will now have two Division I soccer commits on the roster heading into the 2019 series with **Jaydah Bedoya** verbally committing to extend her soccer career with the UConn Huskies.

She follows in teammate and fellow forward **Cat Barry's** footsteps, who already committed to play for the South Carolina Gamecocks.

"She wanted to find the right fit for her goals, athletically and academically," Sughrue said. "She's worked really hard at Tabor, both in soccer and in the classroom. She visited a lot of schools and had a lot of schools watch her at Tabor and her club team. I was really impressed with the process she went through, trying to be deliberate, visiting a lot of schools and talked to a lot of people and got advice from people she looked up to."

Sughrue continued, "[UConn has an] excellent coaching staff, good young team; they're going to grow and they have talked about trying to develop character within their program, and I can't think of a better character kid than Jaydah. She cares so much about her teammates and always doing her best. She's been a wonderful addition at Tabor and I know she will be at UConn."

Bedoya had interest from other schools, including Boston College and Brown University, but once UConn came on her radar she never wavered. Now she can't wait to start her time as a Husky.

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Correction

The results for the Marion Turkey Trot 5k provided in the story "Marion's Turkey Trot" submitted to *The Wanderer* by Barbara Meehan for the November 22 edition contained some errors. The correct race results provided by RaceWire are as follows: First-third place overall: Zachary Bentley, Graham Poirier, Mark Comorosky; top finishing female: Lauren Fereshetian.

Top three in each age category are as follows:
(Male 1-13) Bo Gryska, Aidan Sylvia, Luke Bienz;
(Male 14-18) Sean Lund, Andrew Martin, Max Gryska;
(Male 19-29) Graham Poirier, Johnathan Sylvia, Ryan Lohrenz;
(Male 30-39) Mark Comorosky, Steven Carlson, Adam Nawoichik;
(Male 40-49) Richard Cole, Luke Carroll, Reika Sagioka;
(Male 50-59) Brent Elkins, Curtis Moreia, Matt Iverson;
(Male 60-69) Jeffrey Osuch, Toby Roberts, Steven Lohrenz;
(Male 70-99) John Hurley, John Cedarholm, Mike Lozan;
(Female 1-13) Olivia Morgan, Molly Morgan, Isabella Feeney;
(Female 14-18) Bianca Greco, Tayler Lee;
(Female 19-29) Alex Tavares, Ava Ciffolillo;
(Female 30-39) Meredith Finch, Ginger Larson, Stacia Briggs;
(Female 40-49) Heather Montross, Tara Greaves, Julie Baker;
(Female 50-59) Joanne Jack, Tammy Hierholcer, Janice Foley;
(Female 60-69) Joy Frain, Beverly Howland, Marian Pierce.

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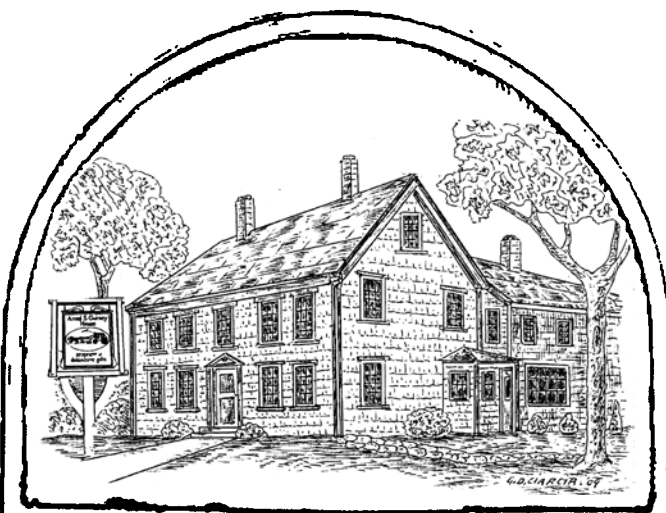


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To the Editor:

Question 2 on the ballot in the November 6, 2018 elections in Massachusetts called for the establishment of a Citizens Commission. This proposed law would be set up to consider and recommend potential amendments to the U.S. Constitution to establish that corporations (and other artificial entities) do not have the same Constitutional rights as human beings and that campaign contributions and expenditures may be regulated.

In the Commonwealth of Massachusetts as a whole, more than 71% of those who voted cast their vote in favor of establishing such a Commission. Per a timeline determined from the full text of Question 2, the following activities will take place:

-In early January 2019, there will be a posting date of the opportunity to serve on the Commission (open to any resident of Massachusetts who is a U.S. citizen).

-By April 30, 2019, appointments of the 15 members to the Commission will be complete (3 each from the Governor, the Secretary of the Commonwealth, the Attorney General, the Speaker of the state House of Representatives and President of the state Senate).

-From early May to the end of December 2019, the Commission will meet to gather evidence and take testimony in researching the impact of political spending in Massachusetts and the possibilities of regulating such expenditures.

-The Commission will deliver its report by December 31, 2019.

-The Secretary of the Commonwealth will deliver the report in early January 2020 to the state Legislature, the United States Congress, and the President of the United States.

The Act so distributed will urge Congress to pass and ratify the recommended amendment(s).

Jack W. Dean, Chair of Citizens for Economic Justice,
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Dear Editor,

I write to thank the kind professionals who serve Mattapoissett on the Police Ambulance and in the patrol cars.

On November 10th, I suffered a catastrophic bone failure resulting in a left leg femur fracture. Pain took on a whole new meaning on that day.

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Providing first aid to someone in the condition I was in that day was difficult due to the type of injury I sustained, but the police officer and the EMT did what was necessary and told me what they were doing every moment to help calm me down.

First responders will always have a special place in my heart and the two who helped me that day now also carry the title HERO as far as I'm concerned.

Thank you now and always,
Marilou Newell, Mattapoisett

To the Marion Planning Board:

The solar array proposal must be denied.

The solar array proposed on Route 6, just a stone's throw from the Point Road lights, must be rejected by the Planning Board. The developer of the project has proposed to clear cut 18 acres for his project.

The fact that pertains to all of us is that we have not authorized the Planning Board to approve this project. In fact, by voting for the solar bylaw, we have specifically demanded that this scale of project be rejected.

Town boards can only do what they are authorized to do under the law. The particular thing about the Planning Board is that we, the voters, pass the laws at Town Meeting. The Planning Board must adhere to these laws. While town boards have a history of acting in a tyrannical manner (witness the Board of Selectmen's unilateral decision prior to last year's town meeting regarding Town House), it is up to us, the public, to jerk the leashes of the boards every so often when they forget their role is to execute our wishes. In this case, there is no doubt as to the wishes of the town. The Board must reject this solar application.

When a solar bylaw was first brought to Town Meeting by the Energy Management Committee, it was not endorsed by the Planning Board. The first proposal

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was subsequently rejected at Town Meeting. Following a year of back and forth negotiations between the Planning Board and the Energy Management Committee, a second proposal was approved by the voters. One of the key provisions of the compromise legislation was a prohibition against the large-scale removal of trees. This project proposes to remove 18 acres of trees.

This proposal does not meet the requirements of the law and must be rejected. If there is a Planning Board member who thinks that the Town Meeting did not think an 18-acre clear cutting was not large scale, please identify yourself. You should not be in office.

The developer is offering to make payments to the town if the project is approved. So what do you call a money payment to further an illegal project? It's a bribe, so call it a bribe.

Here's the big picture: Town Meeting agonizes over changes to Marion's zoning laws. Any proposed law is required to have a public hearing and a report by the Planning Board. To be approved, a proposal must receive the approval of 2/3 of Town Meeting voters. Town Meeting has spoken on this issue and the Planning Board has no discretion in this matter. To even consider this proposal has been a slap in the face to Town Meeting. The Planning Board must reject the current solar proposal on Route 6.

Sincerely,
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Machacam Club Meeting

The Machacam Club will hold its' December meeting on Wednesday, **December 5**. The meeting will be held at the 3 Depot Street Legion Hall. Social time begins at 5:30 pm with dinner beginning at 6:00 pm. The full soup to nuts roast pork dinner meal has been planned and will be prepared by Chef Colby. Efforts are underway to secure a speaker for our meeting. We promise a filling and delicious meal and an entertaining meeting.

Callers - please report your lists by noon on Monday, December 3 to 508-758-1326 or cwmccullough@comcast.net.

Rochester Tree Lighting Ceremony

Rochester Town Hall presents its annual tree lighting ceremony on **Monday, December 3**.

Festivities start at 6:30 pm in front of the Town Hall at 1 Constitution Way.

All in attendance will be treated to holiday music by the Rochester Memorial School Band and Choir. Santa will be arriving to the event to join the fun. Following the ceremony, free refreshments will be available inside the Town Hall.

Friends of Plumb Library Holiday Fair

On Saturday, **December 1**, the Friends of Plumb Library will be hosting their annual Holiday Fair from 10:00 am at 2:00 pm. Featured will be the Silent Auction, Bake Sale, Rochester Historical Society table, and musical entertainment throughout the day, with chorus members from RMS Chorus, and local Brownie Scouts. Santa will visit from 10:30 am - noon. All proceeds will benefit Plumb Library programs and story times. Plumb Library is located at 17 Constitution Way, Rochester. For more information, call the library at 508-763-8600, or email info@plumblibrary.com.

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Rochester Democratic Town Committee

The next meeting of the Rochester Democratic Town Committee is December 1, 2018 at 10:30 am in the Rochester Town Hall conference room.

We will be learning about ranked choice voting and discussing our efforts from this past year as well as planning for 2019 and 2020. All are welcome to attend and participate.

The Best Christmas Pageant Ever Opens at the MAC

The Marion Art Center (MAC) is pleased to present The Best Christmas Pageant Ever by Barbara Robinson, opening at the MAC on Friday, **December 7**, with subsequent performances on **December 8, 9, 14, 15, and 16**. All Friday and Saturday performances will begin at 7:30 pm, while Sunday matinees on December 9 and 16 will begin at 2:00 pm.

The production is a family comedy in one act about a church Christmas Pageant that threatens to go horribly awry when a family of juvenile delinquents shows up to take part!

Featuring Michelle Garell, Matthew Lynds, Suzie Kokkins, Pam Ellis, Jenny Costa, Sue Massey, Asta Muldoon, Zoe Pateakos, Molly Dupre, Eva Malloy, Marilyn Pepin, Calvin Pepin, Keira Canto, Genevieve Arone, Evelyn Parsons, Leon Hawsey, Edie Dupre, Manny Sepúlveda, Gavin Garell, Lisa Feeney, Henry Richins,

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Those behind the production include Director Kate Fishman, Margaret Laine and Amanda Moore as Stage Managers, Sound & Lighting Manager Steven McManus, Set & Tech Assistant Bernie Klim. Props & Costumes by Kristin Canto and Lee Dupre.

Tickets (\$18 for MAC members; \$20 for non-members) may be purchased in person, by phone, or online during regular hours: Tue-Fri 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm & Sat 10:00 am – 2:00 pm. The Marion Art Center is located at 80 Pleasant Street in Marion, MA. A limited number of cabaret tables are available for reserved parties of 4, and attendees may bring their own refreshments. Advanced purchases are strongly recommended.

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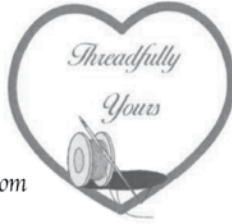
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Sippican Historical Society

In 1998, the Sippican Historical Society commissioned an architectural survey of Marion's historic homes and buildings. The survey was funded one-half by the Sippican Historical Society and one-half by the

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Massachusetts Historical Commission. Due to the limits of funding, not all of the historic buildings were surveyed, but over 100 were catalogued and photographed. The results of the survey are in digital form on the Massachusetts Historical Commission's website and in four binders in the Sippican Historical Society's office (and at the Marion Town Clerk's office).

Marion (Old Rochester) is one of the oldest towns in the United States, and the Sippican Historical Society maintains an extensive collection of documentation on its historic buildings. The Sippican Historical Society will preview one building a week so that the residents of Marion can understand more about its unique historical architecture.

This installment features 226 Front Street - Alumni House. The building at 226 Front Street, once the Headmaster's House of Tabor Academy, is a Cape Cod cottage that was built in 1817. It was greatly enlarged by a Colonial Revival addition in 1849. The 1855 Marion



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map indicates that Peleg Briggs lived here. By 1903, it was the property of Miss J. Briggs. In 1937, it became the Headmaster's House when Tabor Academy was moved to the waterfront. Headmaster Walter Huston Lillard lived here until 1942, when he left Tabor Academy to assist the war effort. His successor was James W. Wickenden. The Headmaster's House became an important focus of the school's academic life.

Gifts of Elizabeth Taber, Marion's Benefactress

Elizabeth Sprague Pitcher spent the first thirty three years of her life in Marion village growing up, teaching children to read and write, and to be responsible citizens. In 1824 she married Stephen Taber, a clock maker in Acushnet, and they moved to New Bedford where they wisely invested their money in whaling ships, mill stocks, and railroad bonds. Their three children all died in infancy, and Stephen passed away in 1862, leaving the widow Elizabeth yearning to return to Marion to enrich the lives of its citizens.

Elizabeth Tabor's generosity to Marion included six buildings as well as parks, trees, cemeteries, and endowment monies for the maintenance of her new creations. Hence, she was often called "Marion's Fairy Godmother."



What were these gifts?

Her first generosity was the Elizabeth Taber Library in 1872. Included with the gift was a \$15,000 endowment, a \$4,000 life insurance policy, and a gift of her own furniture. In addition, she also gave a \$6,000 legacy for the proposed Natural History Museum above the library.

The second building that Elizabeth Taber gave in

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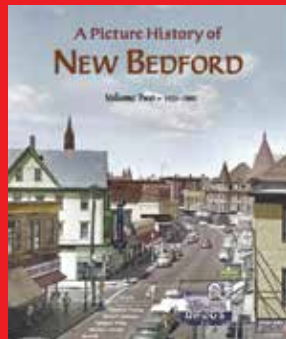
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1876 was the Tabor Academy Academic Building. In the thirties, the town of Marion made a trade of buildings with Tabor Academy and this building became the Marion Town Hall.

In 1876, Union Hall was the third building that Elizabeth Taber built. It was for the ladies of the Congregational Church for their sewing groups and social occasions. Union Hall was located on South Street where the Fellowship Hall of St. Gabriel's now stands.

Taber Hall was the fourth building given by Mrs. Taber in 1880 to house the principal of Tabor Academy, Mr. Clark Howland. She resided in an apartment on the second floor until her death in 1888 at the age of 97. It was originally located where Sippican School is today, and was later moved to its present location on Cottage Street.

Elizabeth Taber built the stone Congregational Chapel in 1885 because she did not think it proper for children to have Sunday school in the basement of the church. She hired William Gibbons Preston, a noted Boston architect, who summered in Marion, to design the chapel. Among other activities, it houses the church's Penny Pincher's Exchange today.

Her sixth and final gift to Marion was the Music Hall, built in 1890-91, two years after Elizabeth Taber died. It was also designed by William Gibbons Preston. It fulfilled her desire to "put some snap into Marion," to provide a hall for musical and theatrical performances to enhance the cultural life in her beloved town.

A life-sized bronze statue of Elizabeth Taber has been commissioned to be placed on the corner of Bicentennial Park across from the Town Hall. The Board of Selectmen has heartily endorsed this project, which will be completed some time prior to summer, 2020.

To learn more about Elizabeth Taber, please visit www.sippicanhistoricalsociety.org

ORRHS Term 1 Honor Roll

The following students have achieved honors for the fourth term at Old Rochester Regional High School:

Highest Honors, Grade 9: Edward Gonet, Isabella Hunter, John Kassabian, Amaya McLeod, Marc Pothier, Emma Thorell, Autumn Tilley; **Grade 10:** Stephen Arne, Benjamin Austin, Alexander Craig, Jordan Duarte, Rachael Fantoni,



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Tables of Content Dinners a Rousing Success

Over fifty Tri-Town area residents recently gathered for the Elizabeth Taber Library's Tables of Content fundraiser. An elegant dinner and lively book discussion were featured at each of the six dinner tables. The event was held on two separate evenings in November, hosted in private homes by library board members and supporters. The event was sponsored by Kinlin Grover Real Estate.

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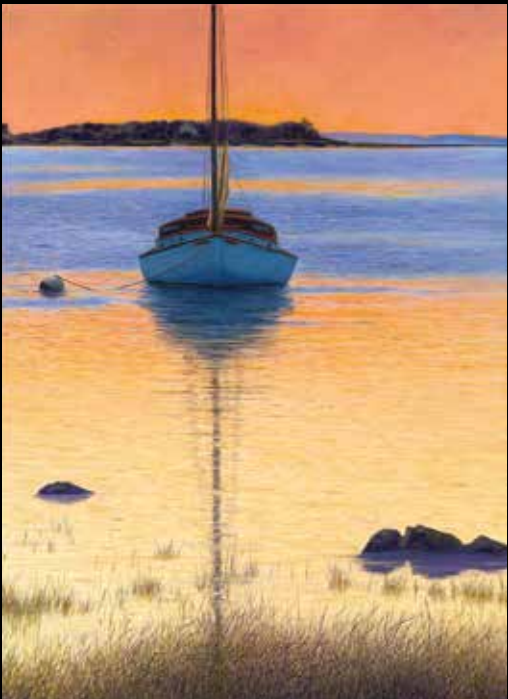
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hosts or other guests added to the anticipatory intrigue and then to the excitement of arriving at their dinner destination and discovering who else was coming to dinner.

In late September, the library posted the list of books: *Exit West*, *Educated*, *Love and Ruin*, *Killers of the Flower Moon*, and *For Whom the Bell Tolls*. Selected by the dinner host committee, they covered a range of interests from current best sellers and historical fiction to biography and a classic. Most popular among the books was *Educated*, for which two dinner tables were filled. Lively discussions of the book selection were a major contributor to each dinner's success.

Comments on the event ranged from "This was



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All funds raised will go to the library's programming and technology efforts. The Board continues to supplement the Town's library budget which covers only "bricks and mortar" expenses: building maintenance and operation, salaries, and basic supplies. The additional 30% of the library's annual budget is funded by individual and corporate Supporters, the annual summer Book Sale, and other fundraising events such as Tables of Content.



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BWAA Holiday Art Sale

The Bourne Wareham Art Association (BWAA) will hold its Annual Holiday Art Show and Sale at the Wareham Historical Society Meetinghouse, 495 Main St., Wareham on Friday, **December 7** from 5:00 pm – 8:00 pm and Saturday, **December 8** from 10:00 am – 4:00 pm. Featured is original framed artwork by local artists in oil, watercolor, pastels, graphics, and acrylics. Also photography, sculpture, painted metalworks, and craft items will be available for sale. A portion of all sales goes to the BWAA Annual Scholastic Art Awards Fund, which helps support young artists throughout our communities.

Schooner Ernestina-Morrissey

Under cool, sunny skies the ceremonial, final "shutter" plank was laid into the hull of New Bedford's very own historic, Schooner Ernestina-Morrissey. The event marked a major milestone in the complete rebuild of the Schooner that has been ongoing since the Spring of 2015. The vessel had been towed to Boothbay Harbor in Maine where her hull has been rebuilt to the highest



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The celebration of the laying of the shutter or “whiskey” plank, is a traditional mariner’s benchmark. This plank is the last to be put into place to finish the construction of the ship’s hull. The Ernestina-Morrissey’s



shutter plank was inscribed with names of financial donors to the Schooner Ernestina-Morrissey Association (SEMA)’s “Whiskey Plank Club”.

The names included a diverse “crew” of supporters of the current rehabilitation project as well as donors’ family member names who sailed aboard her during all the eras of Ernestina-Morrissey’s history.

SEMA Board Member Mary Anne McQuillan was moved to tears, saying, “It is inspiring to see many



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9:00 AM Yoga for Health
9:30 AM Health Source
10:00 AM Marijuana on Mental Health
10:30 AM The Garage
11:00 AM Beyond Boston
11:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Southcoast Matters
1:30 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
2:00 PM The Collective Chat
2:30 PM J9 on 9
3:00 PM Neighborhoods to Nations
4:00 PM Marion Natural History Museum - Tom Wessels
5:30 PM Learning Music with Pat
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM The O! Melodious! Show
7:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!
8:00 PM Sippican Historical Society - David Pierce
9:00 PM Legal Ease
9:30 PM Registers Report
10:00 PM Beyond My Crisis
10:30 PM Science 360
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

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10:00 AM Marijuana on Mental Health
10:30 AM Sidewalks Entertainment
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11:30 AM Wicked Good Food
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Cape Cod Ragtime Festival
2:00 PM Zen Conversation
2:30 PM Perils for Pedestrian
3:00 PM Learning Music with Pat
3:30 PM The Steve Katsos Show
4:30 PM Deutsch Welles Global Show
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6:30 PM 4 Deep Sports

7:30 PM Pete on the Street
8:00 PM What an Autistic has to Say with Chuck McIntyre
9:30 PM Science 360
10:00 PM Gay USA
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Saturday December 1, 2018

6:00 AM Saturday Morning Cartoons
9:00 AM What's New? Massachusetts
9:30 AM Falmouth in Focus
10:00 AM Perils for Pedestrians
10:30 AM Southcoast Matters
11:00 AM New England Authors
11:30 AM Fak'd 8 TV News
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Fox Robbins Business Show
1:30 PM The O! Melodious! Show
2:00 PM The Collective Chat
2:30 PM J9 on 9
3:00 PM Arts Alive
3:30 PM Carpe Diem
4:00 PM Political Awareness with Chuck McIntyre
5:00 PM Read, Rant, Repeat
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Sound Off
7:30 PM Money Matters TV
8:00 PM Sippican Historical Society
9:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!
10:00 PM Two Tones
10:30 PM Science 360
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Sunday December 2, 2018

6:00 AM Veterans Voice
9:00 AM First Congregational Church of Rochester
10:00 AM Health Talk
10:30 AM Health Source
11:00 AM Tae Kwon Do
11:30 AM Holiday Mental Health
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Neighborhoods to Nations
2:00 PM Zen Conversation
2:30 PM Transgender Rights
3:00 PM Duke of Sports
4:00 PM 2018 America's Hometown Thanksgiving Parade
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Learning Music with Pat
7:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!
8:00 PM What an Autistic has to Say
9:30 PM Fox Robbins Business Show
10:30 PM Armchair QB
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Monday December 3, 2018

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors
8:00 AM Health Talk
8:30 AM Seniors on the Move
9:00 AM The Yoga Mat
9:30 AM The Chico and Bman Show
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Cape Conversation
11:00 AM Holiday Mental Health
11:30 AM Southcoast Matters
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM The Steve Katsos Show
2:00 PM The Collective Chat
2:30 PM J9 on 9
3:00 PM Duke of Sports
4:00 PM Marion Natural History Museum - Tom Wessels
5:30 PM Perils for Pedestrians
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Cape Cod Ragtime Festival
7:30 PM Marijuana on Future Success
8:00 PM Sippican Historical Society - David Pierce
9:00 PM Beyond My Crisis
9:30 PM Words on Film
10:30 PM Don't Dis my Ability
11:30 PM Democracy Now!

Tuesday December 4, 2018

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM 30 Medical Minutes
8:00 AM Health Talk
8:30 AM Navigating the Way for Seniors
9:00 AM Yoga for Health
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
10:30 AM Holiday Mental Health
11:00 AM Southcoast Matters
11:30 AM Learning Music with Pat
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Cape Cod Ragtime Festival
2:00 PM Zen Conversation
2:30 PM Cape Conversation
3:00 PM The Garage
3:30 PM Hollywood Movie Maker
4:00 PM Marion Natural History Museum - Tom Wessels
5:30 PM Money Matters TV
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Sound Off
7:30 PM Science 360
8:00 PM What an Autistic has to Say
9:30 PM Legal Ease
10:00 PM Beyond My Crisis

10:30 PM Marijuana on Future Success
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Wednesday December 5, 2018

7:00 AM Seniorize
7:30 AM Seniors on the Move
8:00 AM Health Source
8:30 AM Holiday Mental Health
9:00 AM The Yoga Mat
9:30 AM Tae Kwon Do
10:00 AM Perils for Pedestrians
10:30 AM The Curious Giraffe Show
11:00 AM Falmouth in Focus
11:30 AM TIA & TW - Robert Kagan
12:00 PM Tri-Town TV
12:30 PM What's Linda Cooking?
1:00 PM Fox Robbins Business Show
2:00 PM The Collective Chat
2:30 PM J9 on 9
3:00 PM The Cinemaniacs!
4:00 PM Transgender Rights with Chuck McIntyre
4:30 PM Physician Focus
5:00 PM The World Fusion Show
5:30 PM Sidewalks Entertainment
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM Upper Cape Tech Presents Careers
7:00 PM Duke of Sports
8:00 PM Sippican Historical Society - David Pierce
9:00 PM 2018 America's Hometown Thanksgiving Parade
11:00 PM Democracy Now!

Marion Government

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 39

Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Marion Conservation Commission - November 14, 2018
9:00 AM Marion Board of Selectman - November 6, 2018
10:00 AM Marion Conservation Commission - October 24, 2018
12:30 PM Marion Special Town Meeting - October 22, 2018
3:00 PM Marion School Committee - October 17, 2018
4:00 PM Marion Planning Board - October 15, 2018
5:00 PM Marion Conservation Commission - November 14, 2018
7:00 PM Marion Board of Selectman - November 6, 2018
8:00 PM Marion Conservation Commission - October 24, 2018

ROCHESTER GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 40

Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Rochester School Committee - November 15, 2018
8:30 AM Rochester Conservation Commission - November 7, 2018
9:30 AM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - November 8, 2018
11:00 AM Rochester Board of Selectman - November 5, 2018
11:30 AM Rochester Planning Board - October 23, 2018
2:00 PM Rochester Historical Society - October 17, 2018
3:00 PM Rochester Board of Selectman - October 15, 2018
4:30 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - October 11, 2018
5:30 PM Rochester School Committee - November 15, 2018
7:00 PM Rochester Conservation Commission - November 7, 2018
8:00 PM Rochester Zoning Board of Appeals - November 8, 2018
9:30 PM Rochester Board of Selectman - November 5, 2018

EDUCATION CHANNEL

Comcast Channel 97

Verizon Channel 37

Daily Schedule

7:00 AM Bulldog Weekly
7:30 AM ORR Pep Rally 2018
9:00 AM ORR Football vs Case - October 19, 2018
11:00 AM Sippican All-School Meeting
12:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
12:30 PM ORRHS Adams Scholarship Ceremony 2018
1:00 PM OC Volleyball vs Diman - October 22, 2018
2:00 PM ORR Football vs Fairhaven - October 12, 2018
4:00 PM ORR Football vs Dedham - November 3, 2018
6:00 PM Bulldog Weekly
6:30 PM ORR Football vs Ashland - November 9, 2018
8:30 PM ORR Football vs Stang - October 26, 2018
11:00 PM OC Football vs South Shore - October 5, 2018

MATTAPOISETT GOVERNMENT

Comcast Channel 95

Verizon Channel 38

SHERMAN'S LAGOON by J.P. Toomey



names of the generations who have supported Ernestina-Morrissey, from the descendants of Gloucester fishermen and Arctic explorers, to generations of Cape Verdean-Americans and all the "crew" who have loved the vessel since 1982."

It was an emotional event enjoyed by all marked by the blessing of the plank with rum, whiskey, Cape Verdean grogue, and Buzzards Bay beer. They represent the vessel's unique history as a Grand Banks fishing schooner, an Arctic explorer, a Cape Verdean trans-Atlantic packet, and most recently, a cultural and educational sail-training vessel and the Official Vessel of Massachusetts.

SEMA Board President Julius Britto and his wife Sandra, McQuillan and Fred Sterner, former Mate and Commissioner, SEMA Charter Board Member John Bullard, "Sails Over Ice and Seas" documentary videographer Cody Mitchell, Tyska and his skilled workers were all present.

Britto was beaming as he said, "The craftsmanship and materials used in the revival of the Ernestina-Morrissey will make everyone associated with this project proud. Those who participate in her future cultural,

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educational, and sailing programs will receive a world class experience."

Bullard added, "We celebrate this milestone in her journey to rebirth. To come this far in her restoration is a testament to SEMA, the City of New Bedford, and the highest levels of state government working together with a common goal. It is our shared anticipation of her future teaching the public about ocean science and maritime history that excites us most."

OBITUARIES



Michael J. "Mike" McQuade, 58, of Mattapoisett passed away unexpectedly on Tuesday, November 20, 2018. He was born in New Bedford, son of the late James and Lily (Peck) McQuade.

Mike leaves behind his wife, Jerilyn (Sunderland) McQuade, with whom he would have celebrated 30 years of marriage next month; his two sons, Myles and Emmett McQuade; his four brothers, Thomas McQuade, Daniel McQuade and his wife Dana, Steven McQuade and his wife Mary Anne, and James McQuade and his wife Linda; his sister, Mary-Ellen Gosselin and her husband Craig; his sisters-in-law, Janice Martineau and her husband Charles and Susan Sunderland; his brother-in-law, Jeffrey Sunderland and his wife Carol; his father and mother-in-law, Joel and Doris Sunderland; and 20 nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by his brother-in-law, Joel Sunderland.

He was currently employed as an electrical engineer by Johnson Controls, formerly Tyco, where he worked for the past 19 years. He was proud of a patent that he had designed for Tyco. Prior to that he was employed by Parson Engineering, designing the fire and security system for the Big Dig Project.

Mike's passion was to run. In 2013 he was abruptly stopped short of the finish line of The Boston Marathon, but was able to complete the race the following year. He also

participated in many local races and enjoyed the time he spent with his New Bedford YMCA and running friends.

He loved to be with nature, watching the osprey dive into the water and catch fish while his line stayed empty. He loved to walk the beach, bike on the Fairhaven bike path and kayak in the harbor. He also enjoyed participating in the First Friday Group with his father-in-law, Joel.

What Mike loved most was his family. He met his wife, Jerilyn, in 1983 and they became inseparable, never wanting to be apart. Most important to him were his boys, Myles and Emmett. His love for them and watching them grow gave him the most joy and he was so proud of them.

He was a great, great man that always could make you laugh, had a heart of gold and a passion for life that has left us with very empty hearts.

His Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, November 30th at 10 am at St. Anthony's Church in Mattapoisett, with everyone meeting directly at Church. Visiting hours are omitted and burial will be private. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made toward Mike's sons' education, c/o Jerilyn McQuade, and mailed to Saunders-Dwyer Home for Funerals, P.O. Box 1447, Mattapoisett, MA 02739. For online guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

If you have a notice you would like to have included in the Obituaries section, please contact our office at: 508 758-9055, by fax at 508-758-4845, or by email at office@wanderer.com.



MOVIE REVIEW

Saint Kurt

By Rob Gonsalves
www.robsmovievault.com

***The Christmas Chronicles*. Starring Kurt Russell and Darby Camp. Directed by Clay Kaytis. Running time: 104 minutes. MPAA rating: PG. Now streaming on Netflix from November 22.**

Netflix's *The Christmas Chronicles* lasts, with credits, one hour and forty-four minutes, of which fifty-three minutes are worthwhile. You're way ahead of me: those are the minutes featuring Kurt Russell as Santa Claus (he prefers "Saint Nick"), a robust, not quite jolly old elf who oddly seems to fit right in with Russell's recent run of hirsute cowboys and rough workers with a surplus of chin and/or lip fur. Russell plays Santa with absolute integrity, which in this context means he plays Santa as Kurt Russell playing Santa, which is the only reason most people of legal age would want to watch this. And he delivers.

Sadly, Russell shares the movie with two irritating kids, chipper believer Kate (Darby Camp) and her sullen teenage older brother Teddy (Judah Lewis). They're bummed because their firefighter dad died on duty, and their mom (Kimberly Williams-Paisley in an utterly thankless role) just wants them to get along. Because Teddy no longer has a father figure, he's drifting towards crime (he and his buddies literally steal a car for a joyride at one point). Teddy needs to be bitter and cynical so that, of course, he can relearn Christmas Spirit over the course of the movie, but that could have been accomplished without all the grand-theft-auto stuff that can't help implying that single women can't raise boys without disaster.

On Christmas Eve, these kids, led by Kate, find themselves in Santa's sleigh, where they startle him and he lands them somewhere in Chicago without his reindeer or his magic hat. If he doesn't get these items back soon, there will be no Christmas cheer, by which the movie means no presents. I kept waiting for the film to break out the old platitude that Christmas is about more than presents, but nope. It's about presents and also about the other dude of the day — at one quiet moment in the adventure, Kate and Teddy pause outside a church and sadly reflect that they haven't been since their dad died. Which, I guess, means their mother hasn't brought them? So we'll blame her for her kids being godless, too!

It's probably useless to come at *The Christmas*



Chronicles with politics, though there is that odd moment where Santa, denying that he actually says "Ho ho ho," grumps "It's just a myth. Fake news." That'll date the movie in a bad way, not that Netflix cares, nor its uninspired director Clay Kaytis (an animation guy who graduated to jodhpurs and megaphone with the *Angry Birds* movie). A good deal of the film is an excuse for elaborate CG effects, which have no magic; even a long look inside Santa's toy bag is a multilevelled vision of card catalogs and conveyor belts of gifts — it's like Terry Gilliam without a brain. At least Sofia Coppola's *A Very Murray Christmas* had some soul (and Bill Murray).

Russell tries his damndest, though. In a sequence that will justify the movie for some, Santa jams in a prison cell with some surprise ringers whose identities I won't spoil (a hint: if the movie had any wit it would've stranded Santa in Jersey). Russell himself takes the lead on "Santa Claus Is Back in Town," and he's in good voice, busting out his old E moves (Elvis, of course, first recorded the song sixty-one autumns ago). Now, having Kurt Russell get his Elvis on, as well as winking at some of his past roles ("Big trouble," Santa intones), will satisfy some of the audience, including yr. humble scribe. And I can't feel sad for Russell being in a movie that's unworthy of him in general, because he lifts all his scenes so effortlessly, bringing his own cool party with him and inviting us to join in.

I also liked the way Russell plays the many scenes in which Santa knows various folks' childhood dreams and hopes. His Santa is a little irascible, given the circumstances, but also good-hearted. This isn't one of Russell's challenging performances, like those in the underrated *Miracle* or *Dark Blue*. Here, he reminded me of Jeff Goldblum, who can also get artsy and serious, but whose natural charisma is such that you can be content just watching Jeff having fun being Jeff. And the same is true of Kurt. For fifty-three minutes.

The hull is complete, but SEMA still needs the public's support to finish interior and deck work. Visit the organization's website at www.ernestina.org to learn more about the shutter plank ceremony, the rebuild project, and the Ernestina-Morrissey's amazing history. Please make a tax-deductible donation online today or mail to SEMA, PO BOX 2995, New Bedford, MA 02741.

Upcoming Programs at the Mattapoissett Library

Christmas Scents Workshop - Make evocative aromatherapy gifts with certified holistic aromatherapist Katherine Anne Young, R.N. on Sunday, **December 2** from 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm. Enjoy cinnamon, cloves, citrus, thyme, eucalyptus, and other fragrant oils. All supplies will be provided. Limited to 15 participants, so please register at the adult circulation desk or call the library at 508-758-4171.

Writers Group - Join a group of writers who share their work and enjoy writing prompts the first Wednesday of each month from 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm. All genres welcome.

Holiday Open House - The library will be joining the community festivities Saturday, **December 8**. In addition to children's crafts downstairs at 1:00 pm, the Reading Rooms will be decked out for an Open House including refreshments from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. From 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm, holiday music will be presented



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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



Mary Dermody submitted this photo she took recently while walking along the waterfront on Goodspeed Island.



Tabor Academy graduate and Bowdoin College cross country runner Julia O'Rourke recently competed in the NCAA DIII Cross Country National Championship, after placing 15th out of 398 to qualify her for the race. O'Rourke (left) poses with teammate Delaney Bullock at the national championship. Photos by Bowdoin College photographer, Jerry LeVasseur



Above: During the November 13 ORR Field Hockey banquet, Polly Perkins Lawrence handed out the very first Lawrence Legacy Award to Carly Drew. The award was named after Lawrence, who served as coach for the ORR Varsity Field Hockey team for 41 years until she retired this year from her position as a teacher's assistant at the school. Photos courtesy Lauren O'Brien

Right: The Boston Globe's Dan Shaughnessy was the guest speaker on November 24 when the Mattapoisett Library hosted a Purrington Series Lecture. Pictured here is Shaughnessy with his sister, local resident Anne Martin. Photos by Marilou Newell



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by The Sea Glass Theatre, courtesy of the Mattapoisett Library Trust. Teens and adults are invited to make Holiday Book Crafts in the library's makerspace from 11:00 am to 12:30 pm. Drop in to enjoy altered book crafts and our 3D printer to create some one-of-a-kind gifts.

3D Holiday Ornament Workshops for Students - On Wednesday and Thursday, **December 12 and 13**, students are invited after school to create holiday gifts using the library's 3D printer. Stop in and see some examples created by librarian Elizabeth Sherry.

Irish Music Session for Families - Drop by the library on Sunday, **December 16** from 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm for a lively Irish Music Session. Family and friends are welcome to bring an instrument, sing along, or simply enjoy the music and socialize. Everyone is welcome!

Holiday in the Park

The Town of Mattapoisett Board of Selectmen wishes to extend an invitation to all town residents to attend their 13th Annual "Holiday in the Park" and Stroll. The events take place on Saturday, **December 8**.

The fun filled day starts with The Mattapoisett Congregational Church Holiday Fair from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm. Continuing the Stroll, you can make your way to the Historical Society for their Holiday Arts and Crafts Fair taking place from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Once you have completed your crafts, you can head over to the Mattapoisett Library from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm and listen



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TriTOWN HAPPENINGS



Above: Annie Henshaw of Poisett Kennel in Mattapoissett with her dog, Ducky, receiving the Sporting Group title at the Annual National Dog Show on Thanksgiving. Photos courtesy Annie Henshaw

Left: The ORR Drama Club fall production will surely have audiences feeling "happily ever after" when it opens on Thursday, November 29, at 7:30 pm! Meet the royal family of the magical kingdom of Storyland: Ryu Huynh-Aoyama as the King, Emma Blouin as the Queen, and Baylen Brunelle as the Prince. Photo by Jean Perry



The Marion Art Center's production of 'The Best Christmas Pageant Ever' by Barbara Robinson will open on Friday, December 7. The production is a family comedy in one act about a church Christmas Pageant that threatens to go horribly awry when a family of juvenile delinquents shows up to take part! Photo courtesy Jodi Stevens

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to music or a story, have a snack, and make an ornament. On your way to Shipyard Park, you can support our Local Boy Scout Troop 53. They will be selling wreaths with free hot cocoa and coffee at the Town Hall from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm.

All of the fun and festivities conclude at Shipyard Park from 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm. Santa and Mrs. Claus will be traveling through Town by Fire Truck, arriving at the Park along with Frosty and Rudolph. This year, there will also be some of Santa's Elves helping out in the park. The very generous food establishments in Town have donated some delicious samplings for your tasting. There will also be face painting and ornament making, along with the Holiday sounds of The Merry Carolers of ORR JHS who will be entertaining from 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm in the Gazebo. Music and technical support will be provided by Rick LeBlanc.

All of this fun including the delicious food, is provided free of charge. However, the Lion's Club will be there collecting a new unwrapped child's gift along with canned goods.


New items this year: "Stuff the Sleigh". The Town's Sleigh will be located at the Park collecting: Clean, gently used coats, blankets, sleeping bags, and new winter socks. Santa's Mail Box is also a new addition. Anyone wishing to save the postage and have Santa take their letter directly to the North Pole can place it in Santa's Mail Box for immediate delivery.

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TRI-TOWN POLICE LOGS



MARION

Log highlights Nov 18-Nov 24

- Mill St - Transport
- Creek Rd - General Services
- Aucoot Ave - Health/welfare
- Mill St - Health/welfare
- Fraser Way - EMS/medical
- Front St - General offense/arrest
- Jenney Ln - Structure fire
- Mill St - Transport
- Front St - Found property
- Front St - Animal complaint
- Front St - EMS/medical
- Village Dr - Health/welfare
- Mill St - MV collision
- Mill St - EMS/medical
- Point Rd - General offense
- Wareham Rd - MV collision
- Delano Rd - Suspicious MV
- Mill St - Suspicious MV
- Point Rd - EMS/medical
- Wareham Rd - Assist municipal agency
- Partridge Pl - Trespassing
- Front St - Suspicious person
- Pine Grove Ln - Officer wanted
- Ichabod Ln - EMS/medical
- Front St - Larceny
- Mill St - MV collision
- Converse Rd - Gunshots reported
- Hartley Ln - Health/welfare
- Sherman's Way - Noise complaint

For a full PDF of the three towns' police logs from the past week, including arrest reports, visit www.Wanderer.com.

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights Nov 18-Nov 24

- County Rd - 911 call
- County Rd - Suspicious MV
- Wildwood Ter - Vandalism
- Seabreeze Ln - Alarm
- Industrial Dr - Domestic disturbance
- Water St - General service
- North St - MV violations
- Bayberry Ln - Threats
- Acushnet Rd - Restraining order
- Brant Beach Ave - Animal control
- Fairhaven Rd - MV violations
- County Rd - Notification
- County Rd - Follow up
- County Rd - MV violations
- Wolf Island Rd - House check
- Fairhaven Rd - MV crash
- County Rd - Property returned
- Acushnet Rd - Ambulance request
- Marina Dr - Notification
- Barstow St - Complaint
- Upland Way - Domestic disturbance
- River Rd - Suspicious persons
- County Rd - Complaint
- North St - Animal control
- Fairhaven Rd - MV crash
- Fairhaven Rd - Assist citizen
- Fairhaven Rd - MV violations
- North St - Disturbance
- North St - MV violations

ROCHESTER

Log highlights Nov 18-Nov 24

- Constitution Way - Suspicious person
- Walnut Plain Rd - 911 call
- Neck Rd - Larceny/forgery/fraud
- Mattapoisett Rd - Trespass order
- High St - Medical emergency
- Cranberry Hwy - Vandalism
- Dexter Ln - Protective order services
- Snipatuit Rd - Vandalism
- Burgess Ave - Suspicious MV
- Cushman Rd - Serve protection order
- Marion Rd - MV accident
- Robinson Rd - MV accident
- Snipatuit Rd - Medical emergency
- Neck Rd - Inside investigation
- Marys Pond Rd - Assist other agency
- High St - MV accident
- Dexter Ln - Assist citizen
- Neck Rd - Suspicious activity
- Walnut Plain Rd - MV accident
- Robinson Rd - Officer follow up
- Walnut Plain Rd - MV accident
- Snipatuit Rd - MV accident
- Dexter Ln - Suspicious MV
- Walnut Plain Rd - Assist citizen
- Dexter Ln - Investigation
- Robinson Rd - Investigation
- Mendell Rd - Medical emergency
- Snipatuit Rd - Animal control
- Cranberry Hwy - Medical emergency



REGIONAL LUNCH MENUS

COASTLINE ELDERLY NUTRITION PROGRAM

Monday, Dec 3: Chicken cacciatore, Italian pasta, peas & portobellos, scall bread, pears

Tuesday, Dec 4: Unsalted saltines, cream of tomato soup, egg salad, German potato salad, whole wheat roll, applesauce cup

Wednesday, Dec 5: Apple cider beef stew, mashed potatoes, oatmeal roll, apricots

Thursday, Dec 6: Meatloaf with gravy & pearl onions, sweet potatoes, green beans, multigrain bread, banana

Friday, Dec 7: Turkey terrazzini, asparagus, dinner roll, strawberry cup

CENTER SCHOOL

Monday, Dec 3: Breaded max sticks w/ tomato soup, goldfish crackers, green beans **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Tuesday, Dec 4: Loaded taco nacho boats: tostitos, seasoned taco meat, cheese sauce, lettuce, tomato, salsa, sour cream and Fiesta rice **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Wednesday, Dec 5: Breakfast scrambler: ham, egg & cheese scramble, hash brown, cucumber coins, goldfish **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Thursday, Dec 6: Hot diggity dog, baked beans, veggie sticks, fun chips **2nd choice:**

Tuna salad sub

Friday, Dec 7: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

OLD HAMMONDTOWN

Monday, Dec 3: Breaded max sticks w/ tomato soup, goldfish crackers, green beans **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Tuesday, Dec 4: Loaded taco nacho boats: tostitos, seasoned taco meat, cheese sauce, lettuce, tomato, salsa, sour cream and Fiesta rice **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Wednesday, Dec 5: Breakfast scrambler: ham, egg & cheese scramble, hash brown, cucumber coins, goldfish **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Thursday, Dec 6: Hot diggity dog, baked beans, veggie sticks, fun chips **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Friday, Dec 7: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

OLD ROCHESTER REGIONAL JUNIOR & SENIOR HIGH

Monday, Dec 3: Breaded max sticks w/ tomato basil soup, goldfish crackers, green beans

Tuesday, Dec 4: Loaded taco nacho boats:

tostitos, seasoned taco meat, cheese sauce, lettuce, tomato, salsa, sour cream and Fiesta rice

Wednesday, Dec 5: Bulldog breakfast scrambler: ham, egg & cheese scramble, hash brown, cucumber coins, goldfish

Thursday, Dec 6: Chicken & broccoli alfredo, garlic bread, side salad

Friday, Dec 7: Hot diggity dog, baked beans, veggie sticks, fun chips

ROCHESTER MEMORIAL

Monday, Dec 3: Breaded max sticks w/ tomato soup, goldfish crackers, green beans **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Tuesday, Dec 4: Loaded taco nacho boats: tostitos, seasoned taco meat, cheese sauce, lettuce, tomato, salsa, sour cream and Fiesta rice **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Wednesday, Dec 5: Breakfast scrambler: ham, egg & cheese scramble, hash brown, cucumber coins, goldfish **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Thursday, Dec 6: Hot diggity dog, baked beans, veggie sticks, fun chips **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Friday, Dec 7: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

SIPPICAN SCHOOL

Monday, Dec 3: Breaded max sticks w/ tomato soup, goldfish crackers, green beans **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Tuesday, Dec 4: Loaded taco nacho boats: tostitos, seasoned taco meat, cheese sauce, lettuce, tomato, salsa, sour cream and Fiesta rice **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Wednesday, Dec 5: Breakfast scrambler: ham, egg & cheese scramble, hash brown, cucumber coins, goldfish **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Thursday, Dec 6: Hot diggity dog, baked beans, veggie sticks, fun chips **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

Friday, Dec 7: Stuffed crust pizza, fresh tossed salad w/dressing **2nd choice:** Tuna salad sub

OLD COLONY REGIONAL

Monday, Dec 3: Chicken chow mein & chop suey vegetables

Tuesday, Dec 4: Macaroni & cheese & bread stick

Wednesday, Dec 5: Stuffed peppers & garlic bread

Thursday, Dec 6: Steak & cheese sub, peppers & onions & fries

Friday, Dec 7: Assorted stuffed crust pizza

The huge Adirondack chair will be in the Park again this year for pictures. Restrooms will be open to the public at the Library and Town Hall. Wishing a happy, healthy holiday season to all.

ORRHS to Present Cinderella

The Old Rochester Regional High School Drama Club is presenting the classic tale of Cinderella this fall. Directed by Gregory Silver, Cinderella by Sally Netzel is a classic retelling of the fairy tale with some modern twists. Starring Victoria Kvilhaug as Cinderella and Baylen Brunelle as Prince, Cinderella also features Jackie Barrett, Sarah Melloni, Kate Marsden, Bethany Cabral, Emma Blouin, Luke Couto, Sam Guillotte, Jillian Craig, Eddie Gonet, Andrew Steele, Elise Mello, Emma Williamson, and Marina Stephens along with a full ensemble cast and crew. Show dates and times are **November 29, 30,** and **December 1** at 7:30 pm and **December 2** at 2:00 pm. Tickets cost \$10.00 for students and senior citizens and \$12.00 for general admission. Tickets may be purchased at Marion General Store, Plumb Corner Market, and Pen & Pendulum. For reservations or information please call 508-758-6762.

Sippican Choral Society's Christmas Concert

The Sippican Choral Society's Christmas 2018 concert marks its 54th consecutive year of singing in the SouthCoast area as they present selections from "Handel's

Messiah". Under the direction of Darry Dolezal, this concert promises to usher in the true spirit of the season with many delights and surprises. Accompanied by Michelle Gordon, as well as invited instrumentalists, this concert includes such pieces as "Lo, How a Rose"; "Wexford Carol"; the ever popular "Pachelbel's Canon/First Noel", and other favorites, plus some audience sing-along carols, and ending with the rousing "God Bless Us Everyone" from Disney's "A Christmas Carol."

Concert dates are Friday, **November 30**, at 8:00 pm at St. Joseph & St. Therese Church, 51 Duncan St. in New Bedford and Sunday, **December 2**, at 4:00 pm at Wickenden Chapel, Tabor Academy, in Marion.

Ticket prices are \$15 for general, \$5 for students, and anyone six years and under are free. Tickets may be purchased in advance from "Marion General Store", "The Symphony Shop" in Dartmouth, "No Kidding" in Mattapoisett, "Euro" in Fairhaven, or at the door on the day of the concerts.

For more information, call Nancy Sparklin at 508-763-2327 and leave a message, or you can check out our website at www.sippicanchoralsociety.org.

Fairhaven to Hold Old-Time Holiday

Get into the spirit of the holidays and find an array of holiday gifts, food, music, and old-fashioned good cheer by visiting Fairhaven on Saturday, **December 8**, for the 21st annual Old-Time Holiday in the historical

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- 1 Travel aimlessly
5 Sport — (vehicle)
8 Marsh fuel
12 See 124-Down
15 "Well, this — surprise!"
18 Extents of estates
20 Enjoying an African trek
22 Biscotti tidbit
23 Start of a riddle
25 Swaying to and —
26 "Heaven Can Wait" director
Lubitsch
27 "... — will!"
28 Diplomatic agent
29 Do injury to
30 Keeps hold of
33 Brit's 26th letter
35 Religious recluse
37 Riddle, part 2
42 Little guys
46 Socratic "T"
47 Inch or mile
48 Garden flowers, informally

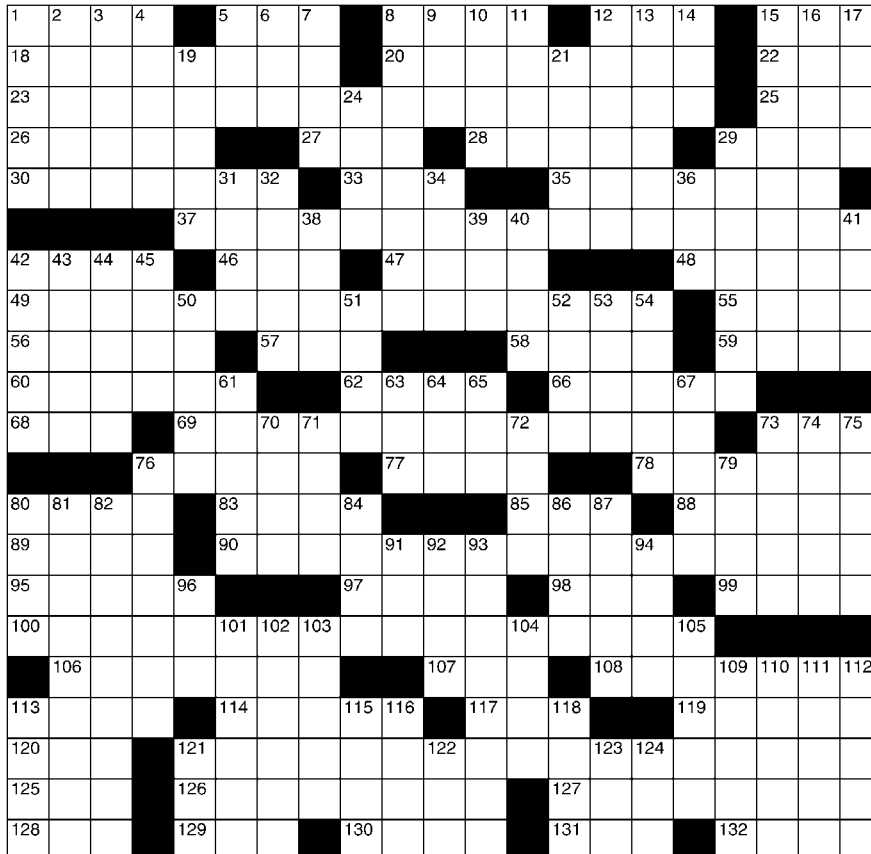
- 49 Riddle, part 3
55 Part of a list
56 Thing pulled by a milker
57 Prefix with floozy
58 Mexican moola
59 Desertlike
60 Little tyke
62 Animal pen
66 "— a loss for words"
68 Bar drink
69 Riddle, part 4
73 To the — power
76 Replay mode, briefly
77 Sandy color
78 Crotchety
80 Runaway GI
83 Seized auto, e.g.
85 Ending for count
88 Made less harsh
89 Good score in diving
90 Riddle, part 5
95 Lauder of fragrances
97 James of "Slither"
98 "How pretty!"
99 "On the subject of ..."

- 100 End of the riddle
106 Inhale
107 "— Bravo"
108 50-50 chances
113 Barren
114 Pottery, e.g.
117 Trident, e.g.
119 The Evil One
120 Pig — poke
121 Riddle's answer
125 VIP on the Hill: Abbr.
126 Move to a new post
127 Iffy issue
128 Equine critter
129 Get a total
130 Hefty volume
131 Put in words
132 Got hold of
DOWN
1 Less cooked
2 Colour in a landscape
3 "Looks — everything"
4 High-IQ organization
5 "I hate this!"
6 Driver's prop
7 Gas brand up north
8 Forks over
9 Many an MIT grad
10 "Even — speak ..."

- 11 Little mountain lake
12 Spiritual goal of Zen Buddhism
13 Hunted, with "on"
14 Lung-filling stuff
15 Inspire with foolish passion
16 Cry uncle
17 The "H" or "O" of H₂O
19 Stuff room
21 Footrace a little over 3.1 mi. long
24 Rice-sized pasta
29 Hatchet man's roster
31 — one (zip)
32 Kiss noise
34 Chinese statesman — Xiaoping
36 Chow mein additive, for short
38 Immaculate
39 Co. board member
40 At the apex
41 J.D. Salinger heroine
42 Actress Innes
43 Vocalist Paula

- 44 Evade slyly
45 Litigious one
50 Fishing net
51 Black-and-white whale
52 Figure skater Johnny
53 Morales of "NYPD Blue"
54 Lover of Juliet
61 "American Beauty" actress Birch
63 Ending for Gator
64 Big name in SUVs
65 Cochlea locale
67 Madison Ave. solicitor
70 Future sign
71 Ray of —
72 Feels regret over
73 Ibis' homes
74 Fido's prize
75 Prefix with carbon
76 Rained pellets of ice
79 Probe org.
80 From the top
81 Pulled chicken leftovers?
82 Ottawa natives
84 Start of a fairy tale
86 Clog, for one

- 87 Oilcan part
91 Rove
92 Lion's home
93 Native resident
94 Extremely, informally
96 Greek vowel
101 Hankered
102 Bobbin stuff
103 NHL's Toronto Maple —
104 Time piece?
105 Optional SAT part
109 Egypt's Anwar
110 In — (as yet unborn)
111 — diet (trendy regimen)
112 Act stealthily
113 Big name in credit cards
115 Lickety-split
116 The Magi, e.g.
118 Fanzines, say
121 Musical syllable
122 "Grand Hotel" studio
123 Big inits. for hunters
124 With 12-Across, mud wrap locale



SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) A project benefits from your organizational skills that get it up and running. Your success leaves a highly favorable impression. Don't be surprised if you get some positive feedback soon.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Spend time on practical matters through the end of the week. Then begin shifting your focus to more-artistic pursuits. Resist being overly self-critical. Just allow yourself to feel free to create.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Restarting those creative projects you had set aside for a while will help provide a much-needed soothing balance to your hectic life. Besides, it will be like meeting old friends again.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) A change in plans could make it tough to keep a commitment. But stay with it. You'll get an A-plus for making the effort to do what's right and not taking the easy way out by running off.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) The Lion's enthusiasm for a workplace policy review is admirable. But be sure you know who is really behind the resistance to change before pointing your finger at the wrong person.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) You can expect to have to do a lot of work through mid-week. Devote the rest of the week to checking your holiday plans in case some need to be adjusted to accommodate changes.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Try to avoid signing on the dotted line in the early part of the week. You need time to study issues that weren't fully explored. Later in the week might be more favorable for decision-making.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) A new development could snarl travel schedules or other holiday-linked projects. Some flexibility might be called for to deal with the problems before they get too far out of hand.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Relatives seek your advice on a matter you'd rather not be involved in. If so, use that sage Sagittarian tact to decline the "offer," so that no one's feelings are needlessly hurt.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) A shift in planning direction might help you speed up your progress toward achieving that long-planned goal. Trusted colleagues are ready to offer some valuable support.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) An unexpected demand for settlement of an old loan could create some pre-holiday anxiety. But you might not really owe it. Check your records thoroughly before remitting payment.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) It's a good time to get into the social swim and enjoy some well-earned fun and games with those closest to you before you have to resume more serious activities next week.

BORN THIS WEEK: Your ability to sense the needs of others makes you a wise counselor for those seeking help with their problems.

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town center. Over the years it has become one of Fairhaven's favorite events.

In December 1998, the Fairhaven Office of Tourism first launched what was then called the "Very Victorian Holiday," bringing together about thirty non-profit, school, and church groups to create a weekend filled with old-fashioned holiday events. Previously, independent groups had held fairs, bazaars, concerts, luncheons, house tours, sing-alongs, and other activities over the course of several weeks between mid-November and Christmas. What was different in 1998 was that most of those events were moved to a single weekend and promoted as one big, holiday package, wrapped in a Victorian theme, with the public able to walk from location to location in the center of town. Tourism Director Christopher Richard credits Millicent Allen and Helen Radcliffe with first suggesting the idea.

The weekend slate of activities has been repeated every year since, with the only change being the switch of the name from "Victorian" to "Old-Time" so that it was not bound to a specific historical time period.

This year, as always, most of the Old-Time Holiday events take place during the day on Saturday, **December 8**. Both the First Congregational Church, 34 Center Street, and the Unitarian Memorial Church, 102 Green Street, will hold fairs, with church members and outside vendors displaying a wide variety of items for sale. In a similar vein, about 25 of the town's non-profit

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<p>TOWN OF ROCHESTER PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Rochester Planning Board will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 7:00 pm in the Rochester Town Hall regarding a Site Plan Review application received by 15 CRANBERRY HIGHWAY, LLC, 177 Huntington Avenue, Boston, MA 02115 for property located at 15 Cranberry Highway, Rochester, MA 02770, further identified on Assessor's Map 17, Lot 31C. The property owner is Decas Real Estate Trust, 4 Old Forge Road, Carver, MA 02330. The proposed project is for site redevelopment for a day care facility. Building renovations will be limited to the interior of the structure creating a new day care space for the majority of the building and adding an area at the front of the building to be leased to a future tenant. The redevelopment of the 2.22 acre site will include modifying the exiting paved surface and upgrading storm water management. A playground will be constructed just beyond the existing building.</p> <p>The applications and associated submittal documents are available for review at the Planning Board Office in the Rochester Town Hall Annex, 37 Marion Road, Rochester, MA between the hours of 8:30 am - 6:00 pm Monday, 8:30 am - 5:00 pm Tuesday through Thursday, and 8:30 am to 1:00 pm Friday.</p> <p>Arnold Johnson 11/22, 11/29</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 4:45 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by MARK A. RODRIGUES, P.E. pertaining to the property located at 1 Holly Pond Road, further identified as Map 18, Lot 52.</p> <p>The following variance is requested to Title 5 of the State Environmental Code: 310 CMR 15.211: Local Upgrade Approval</p> <p>Setback distance between the proposed soil absorption system and eastern property line bordering Holly Pond Road is 6.6' +/- versus required 10 feet.</p> <p>310 CMR 405 (1)(H): Local Upgrade Approval</p> <p>Set back distance between vertical separation between bottom of the soil absorption system and high ground water table from 4' to 3' minimum.</p> <p>Jason E. Reynolds, MD, PhD, FAAP, Chairman 11/22, 11/29</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 5 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by DARTMOUTH POOLS & SPAS, INC. pertaining to the property located at 86 Hammetts Cove Road.</p> <p>The following variance is requested to the Marion Sanitary Code: M.S.C. Section IX 9.20 - Bathing Beaches and Swimming Pools:</p>	<p>Request a variance that no perimeter security fence be installed rather than the minimum 6 foot height requirement.</p> <p>Jason E. Reynolds, MD, PhD, FAAP, Chairman 11/22, 11/29</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 5:15 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by DARTMOUTH POOLS & SPAS, INC. pertaining to the property located at 1 Deer Run.</p> <p>The following variance is requested to the Marion Sanitary Code: M.S.C. Section IX 9.20 - Bathing Beaches and Swimming Pools:</p> <p>Request a variance that no perimeter security fence be installed rather than the minimum 6 foot height requirement.</p> <p>Jason E. Reynolds, MD, PhD, FAAP, Chairman 11/22, 11/29</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF ROCHESTER ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING #1129</p> <p>Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Board of Appeals will conduct a public hearing on the petition of STEVEN C & JENNIFER PROF-FIT for property located at 514 Snipatuit Road, identified on Assessor's Map 41, Lot 6, who is seeking a Special Permit under Section VIII.D.6 to allow the enclosure of a guest house and a garage with a breezeway, with heat and electricity to make it habitable. The public hearing will be held on December 13, 2018 at 7:45 pm in the Conference Room of the Rochester Town Hall at 1 Constitution Way.</p> <p>Richard D. Cutler, Chairman 11/29, 12/6</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF ROCHESTER BOARD OF SELECTMEN NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing pursuant to Section 157 of Chapter 140 of the Massachusetts General Laws, at Rochester Town Hall on Monday, December 17th, 2018 at 6:30 pm to investigate complaints that certain dogs kept at 368 North Avenue, believed to be in the custody and control of LIBERAL TEIXEIRA of that address, are a nuisance dogs by reason of their barking. The Board of Selectmen acting as hearing authority shall consider the evidence as to nuisance, consider the failure to license any dogs on the premises and further consider any failure to comply with prior orders of the Board. Upon reviewing the evidence, the Board of Selectmen may take such action as is authorized under Section 157, or any other law. 11/29, 12/6</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT PUBLIC NOTICE</p> <p>PRIVATE ROADS THAT NEED TO TAKE CORRECTIVE ACTION PRIOR TO SNOW PLOWING FOR THE 2018/2019 SEASON.</p> <p>Private Road trimming is the responsibility of the Property Owners on that Private Road.</p>	<p>Trees & shrubs must be cut back 2 feet from the edge of the road and 12 feet in height to provide clearance for plows and emergency vehicles.</p> <p>The Town of Mattapoisett Highway Department does not provide trimming services to private roads.</p> <p>For snow plowing information please call The Highway Department at (508)-758-4181, Monday thru Friday, 7am - 3:30 pm.</p> <p>Updated 11-19-18 Private Road Street - Corrective Action - Cost of Material CHANNEL, UNION & WATERMAN - NEEDS GRADING \$125 DYER & NOYES - NEEDS GRADING \$50 EVERGREEN & WOODLAND - NEEDS GRADING \$25 ISLAND ST - NEEDS GRADING \$125 LAUREL ST - NEEDS GRADING \$50 HIGHLAND AVE - BB - NEEDS GRADING \$250 OLIVER ST - NEEDS GRADING \$75 PICO BEACH RD - NEEDS BROWNSTONE \$125 PINE ST - REMOVE SPEEDBUMP PROSPECT DR - NEEDS GRADING \$25 SEAMARSH WAY-SHORE ST - NEEDS GRADING \$125 SILVER SHELL AVE - NEEDS GRADING \$125</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a Public Hearing on a Request for a Determination of Applicability submitted by BRIAN & GRAZYNA BLAESSER in the main conference room at Town Hall located at 16 Main Street at 6:30 pm on Monday, December 10, 2018.</p> <p>The Applicants propose to perform improvements to the house, deck and staircase, to connect to the municipal sewer system, and remove the septic system leaching area fill.</p> <p>The work will be performed within a Barrier Beach and Land Subject to Coastal Storm Flowage, Flood Zone VE (El. 17 and 20).</p> <p>The address where the activity will occur is 23 Cove Street, which is further identified as Lot #75 on Assessors Map #1. 11/29</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Pursuant to M. G. L. Ch 131, s. 40, the Wetlands Protection Act, the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, December 10, 2018 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by THE PRESERVE AT BAY CLUB, LLC. The proposed project is to extend Split Rock Lane with associated grading and drainage system within the 100' buffer zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The project is located at Split Rock Lane shown on Assessors' Map 27.A. 11/29</p> <hr/>

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and school groups will have tables in the auditorium of the Town Hall, 40 Center Street. At these locations, you'll find handmade crafts, gifts, holiday greens, delicious baked goods, gift baskets, silent auction items to bid on, and more. In the Town Hall there will also be face painting and a few children's activities. All three fairs run from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.

The Unitarian Church, a magnificent English-Gothic style "cathedral," will also give guided tours of the sanctuary during the day.

The Millicent Library, 45 Center Street, will hold a book fair with many local authors signing and selling their books. From 9:30 am to 2:00 pm, authors will take turns presenting short readings from their works. It is a great way to support local writers and find great gifts for the readers on your list.

A short walk away, the lobby of the beautiful, Tudor style Our Lady's Haven, 71 Center Street, will be open from 11:00 am to 2:00 pm for visits and photos with Santa. Cookies and hot chocolate will be served.

As lunch time rolls around, food will be available at three locations. A lobster roll luncheon will be held at the First Congregation Church. A soup and sandwich luncheon will take place at the Harrop Center at 47 Center Street, an Elizabethan style cottage on the Unitarian Church property. On the Town Hall lawn, Boy Scout Troop 52 will be selling hotdogs, and in the first floor banquet room of the Town Hall the North Fairhaven Improvement Association will serve hot soups, meat pies, and spinach pies.

At 6:00 pm on Saturday, the Fairhaven Improvement Association hosts its annual Sing-Along on the steps of Town Hall. There will be caroling and the arrival of Santa on a fire engine. Then hot chocolate and snacks will be available inside in the auditorium.

On Sunday, **December 9**, the Fairhaven Historical Society sponsors a Holiday House Tour from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm. Tickets are \$20 in advance, available at the Millicent Library, 40 Center Street, or Euro, 24 Center Street, Fairhaven, and at the Town Hall Shops on Saturday, December 8. On the day of the tour, tickets are \$25, and are to be purchased at the Academy Building, 141 Main Street, which is the starting location of the tour, where you must pick up your map. For more information, email historicalsocietyfairhaven@gmail.com.

The final event of the weekend is a Service of Lessons and Carols at the Unitarian Memorial Church on Sunday, **December 10**, at 4:00 pm. It features seasonal readings and music by the church choir, under the direction of Dwight Thomas. All are welcome. Donations are accepted.

During Fairhaven's 21st annual Old-Time Holiday, people of all ages from throughout the SouthCoast area can find something to put them into the holiday spirit.

Senior Citizens Holiday Dinner

The Marion Police Brotherhood Annual Senior Citizens Holiday Dinner will be held at the Benjamin D. Cushing Community Center on Saturday, **December 1**. Door opens at 11:30 am, dinner served at 12 noon.

Open to Marion residents; residents may bring one guest, free admission (must R.S.V.P. by November 28, 2018). To R.S.V.P., contact the Marion Council on Aging, 465 Mill Street or call 508-748-3570.

Pizza with Santa

Pizza with Santa will be held on Sunday, **December 2**, from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm at the Benjamin D. Cushing Community Center, 465 Mill Street, Marion. The event is compliments of the Marion Police Brotherhood. Once again, we will be accepting donations to help "fill a cruiser" with new unwrapped toys for The Justice Resources Institute, a local non-profit organization providing intensive foster care and adoption programs for children and adolescents in our community.

Please register at the Marion Police Department, 550 Mill Street or email adicarlo@marionma.gov or acrosby@marionma.gov.

Holiday Luncheon and Cookie Walk

Stop by The First Congregational Church of Marion Community Center, 144 Front Street, on Saturday, **December 8**, from 11:30 am to 1:30 pm for the 28th Annual



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<p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT ROAD CLOSURE PUBLIC NOTICE</p> <p>The owners of OLD WOOD ROAD and HARBOR ACRES LANE will close these private roads to public traffic on December 8, 2018 Leona C. Mansfield William E. Mansfield 11/29, 12/6</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MARION BOARD OF HEALTH NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>The Marion Board of Health will conduct a public hearing on Tuesday, December 11, 2018 at 5:30 pm in the Main Conference Room of the Marion Town House on the variance request submitted by N. DOUGLAS SCHNEIDER & ASSOCIATES, INC. pertaining to the property located at 50 Old Knoll Road, further identified as Map 17, Lot 20D.</p> <p>The following variances are requested from Title 5 of the State Environmental Code and the Marion Sanitary Code (MSC):</p> <p>310 CMR 15.104: Percolation Testing: Request a variance to design the size of the leaching area based upon the sieve analysis rather than an actual percolation test.</p> <p>310 CMR 15.212: Depth to Groundwater: Request a variance to install the bottom of the soil absorption system 3 feet above the maximum seasonal high groundwater rather than the 4 foot requirement.</p> <p>M.S.C. 4.60.2: Sewage System Flow Design Criteria: Request a variance to design the leaching area for 467 gallons per day vs. the minimum 510 gallons per day requirement of the M.S.C. Jason E. Reynolds, MD, PhD, FAAP Chairman 11/29, 12/6</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Pursuant to M. G. L. 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The applicant, Torwin Development, LLC, is proposing a minor footprint change of the proposed single family home within the 100' buffer zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The project is located at 0 Shagbark Circle (Lot 79A) and is further identified as Lot 79 on Assessor Map 27A. 11/29</p> <hr/>	<p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Pursuant to M. G. L. Ch 131, s. 40, the Wetlands Protection Act, the Mattapoisett Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Monday, December 10, 2018 at 6:30 pm in the Town Hall on a Notice of Intent submitted by THE PRESERVE AT BAY CLUB, LLC. The proposed project is to construct a duplex within the 100' buffer zone to a Bordering Vegetated Wetland. The project is located at Split Rock Lane Lot 129A & 129B shown on Assessor Map 27A. 11/29</p> <hr/> <p>TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT CONSERVATION COMMISSION NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING</p> <p>Pursuant to M. G. L. 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Holiday Luncheon. Enjoy a delicious lunch stop while on the Sippican Woman's Club Holiday House Tour, or just come by for a welcome break from the holiday rush. You could even win a door prize.

The luncheon features our famous hot chicken salad, along with cranberry compote, assorted homemade breads, beverages, plus cheesecake with topping for dessert. The cost of the luncheon is \$10. Advance tickets may be purchased at the church office located on the first floor of the Community Center. Tickets will also be available at the door.

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The Holiday Luncheon and Cookie Walk will be held on the second floor of The First Congregational Church Community Center, 144 Front Street, Marion, MA. Note: No wheelchair access. This building is located at the rear of the Marion General Store parking lot. Please park at the back right of the lot, or there is additional parking at Island Wharf.

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Doors open at 6:30 pm so you can savor complimentary appetizers and wine. At 7:00 pm the concert begins, with the Occasion Singers delivering their distinct brand of music. All will be treated to a full array of holiday songs. The concert runs until 9:00 pm.

Advance tickets are \$25 and may be purchased at the Church Office (144 Front Street). Tickets may also be purchased at the door for \$30; credit cards will be accepted. You may reserve cabaret seating by calling the church office at 508-748-1053.

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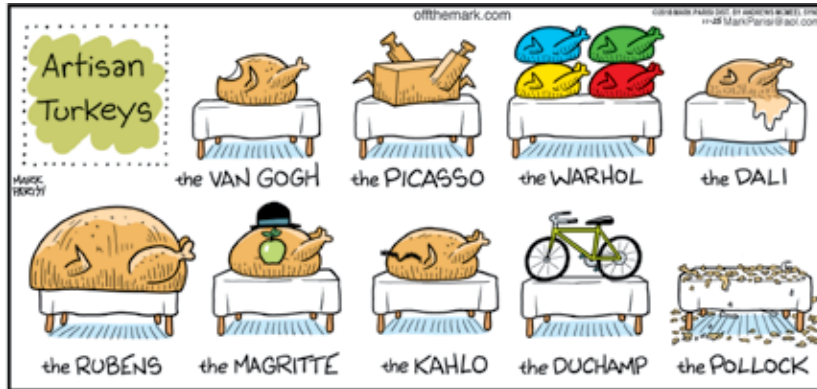
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New Programs and Classes at the MAC

The Marion Art Center (MAC) is pleased to present the Putnam Murdock Trio on Saturday, **December 22** at 7:30pm. Putnam Murdock (guitar and vocals), Barry Gross (bass and vocals), and Colin Bradley (pedal steel) have been conducting experiments in sonic allure for three years. Creating soundscapes laced with lyric and story, they provide audiences with a unique experience of witnessing the creative process. Armed with relentless listening, these musicians improvise structure and arrangement to match the mood of the room. With music that is sensitive, powerful, dusty, and patient, this will take you on a journey of genuine Americana music.

Join us as we wrap up the 2018 season. Doors open at 7:00 pm. Tickets available in person, by phone, or online at marionartcenter.org. \$18 for MAC Members - \$20 for Non-Members

Winter classes are starting soon. The MAC is offering the following Art and Music classes:

Beginning and Continuing Watercolor Painting - Thursdays, 10:00 am - 12:00 pm | 8 sessions, November 29-January 24 (No class Dec. 27)

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New Winter Songwriting Series - Ages 10-17 Saturdays, 10:00 am to 11:00 am at the MAC | January 19 - March 2

New Private Piano Lessons at the MAC - Beginner and Intermediate-level | Ages 6 through Adult - Sunday afternoons beginning January 13, 2019 - Scheduling determined on an individual basis

Spring Registration is now available for MAC Dance Academy.

For more information, visit us online at www.marionartcenter.org/classes.

Register in person at the MAC, over the phone, or online. Regular hours are Tue-Fri 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Sat 10:00 am - 2:00 pm.

Holiday Crafts Fair

The Gifts To Give 5th annual Holiday Crafts Fair for a Cause will be held on Sunday, **December 9** from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. We have over 50 Vendors, Crafters, and Artisans. Unique gifts. Shop local and support a great cause. Featuring, but not limited to, hand-crafted, bake sale, Chinese auction, and the Thrift Store is open. Free Admission, door prizes, and more. 1 Titleist Drive, Acushnet.

Old Time Holiday Fair

The First Congregational Church of Fairhaven will be participating in the towns Old Time Holiday weekend on Saturday, **December 8**. The annual fair will be held from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm at 34 Center Street, Fairhaven; please enter from William Street under the canopy. We currently have 25 local vendors and the ladies of the church will also have a Bake/Cookie table, Craft table, Jewelry table, Home Cooked table, and Chance and Silent auctions will be available. There will be the annual Lobster luncheon in Babbitt Hall and the Heavenly Treasures Thrift Shop will be open.

Garden Group Holiday Boutique

The Annual Garden Group Holiday Boutique will be held **December 8** at Marion Music Hall. From seasonally designed window boxes, urns, and planters around the Village to wreathes, greens, garlands, topiaries, and ornaments, the Marion Garden Group works hard to beautify the Village, town, and private homes of the local area in and around Marion.

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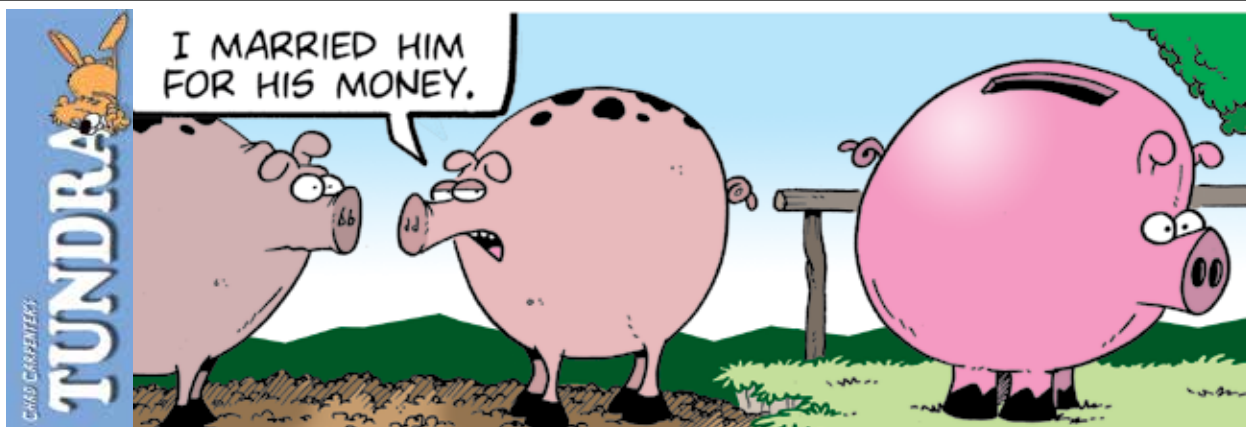
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Jackson Liam Kelsch	December 5
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Annual Christmas Fair

Annual Christmas Fair at the Church of The Good Shepherd, 74 High Street, Wareham on Saturday, **December 1** from 9:00 am – 2:00 pm. There will be baked goods, children's gift room, crafts, gift baskets, jewelry, raffle, scarves, spice table, and used Christmas decorations. Come and get in the spirit of the holiday and help support the many outreach programs at Good Shepherd.

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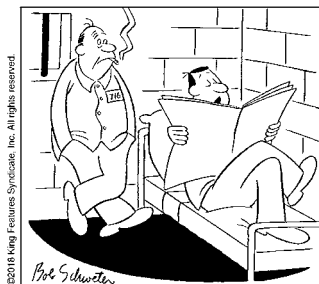
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-Sunday(s), **December 9, 16, 23, 30**

-Sunday(s), **January 6, 13, 20, 27**

-Sunday(s), **February 3, 10, 17, 24**

The fee is \$5.00 per skater from 12:00 pm to 1:50 pm. Hats and Gloves are required per skater. No skate rentals available.

Marion Cultural Council Members Needed

Are you interested in supporting local cultural events in Marion? Have you considered serving on a board and helping to determine how to disperse funds for cultural events? The Marion Cultural Council is looking for two volunteers interested in serving as voting members who can help share ideas and knowledge when making determinations of how funding for the cultural council is dispensed. There is 1 voting meeting per year and several small duties during the year that include checking over paperwork and minor administrative duties. The council will have some room to potentially create a council run event in 2019 as well. Please come to

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Please contact Kristen Saint Don, Chairperson of the Marion Cultural Council, with any questions about becoming a member. MarionCulturalCouncil@gmail.com

Applications are available at the Marion Town House, 2 Spring Street, Marion, MA 02738.

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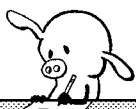
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Saturday, **December 8** from 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm. Shop for unique holiday gifts - local, one-of-a-kind items. There will be a large selection of handmade creations available: art, notecards, soaps, woolens, photographs, jewelry, wrought iron, and more. For more information call 508-758-2844 or email info@mattapoisethistoricalsociety.org.

Friends of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging

The Friends of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging (FOTMCOA), a non-profit, non-governmental group, has been aiding COA programs and supplementing the needs of senior citizens in the community for many years. During that time, the FOTMCOA has purchased furnishings, appliances, and televisions that the COA has used in its social rooms for the benefit of seniors frequenting the COA.

In the community, the FOTMCOA has provided financial support to seniors in need of such items as a new refrigerator or kitchen stove.

The group also sponsors the monthly COA newsletter "Seasonings," as well as hosting various special event luncheons throughout the year giving seniors the opportunity met up with other seniors for a bit of fun and food, social emotional support enriching the lives of Mattapoisett's senior population.


The fundraising work of the FOTMCOA supports COA programs, education, and other needs for which public funds are either not available or need supplementing.

Due to a decrease in membership, new members are now urgently needed to carry on the mission of the FOTMCOA.

Can you help? If you can share an hour once a month to attend the FOTMCOA meeting or wish to assist in any way possible, please contact Anne Bartnowski at 508-758-4603 or email at annebartswife@yahoo.com.

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by J.P. Toomey



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The formal session will be from 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm. Participants are encouraged to arrive at 12:30 pm to check-in and for networking.

The program is funded by the Massachusetts Executive Office of Elder Affairs and managed by the Massachusetts Councils on Aging (MCOA) in partnership with the Acushnet and Marion Councils on Aging.

Meetings are held in Marion on the 1st Tuesday of each month and in Acushnet on the 3rd Tuesday.

Meetings are free of charge, but registration is required. To reserve your space visit: www.mcoonline.com/50plus.

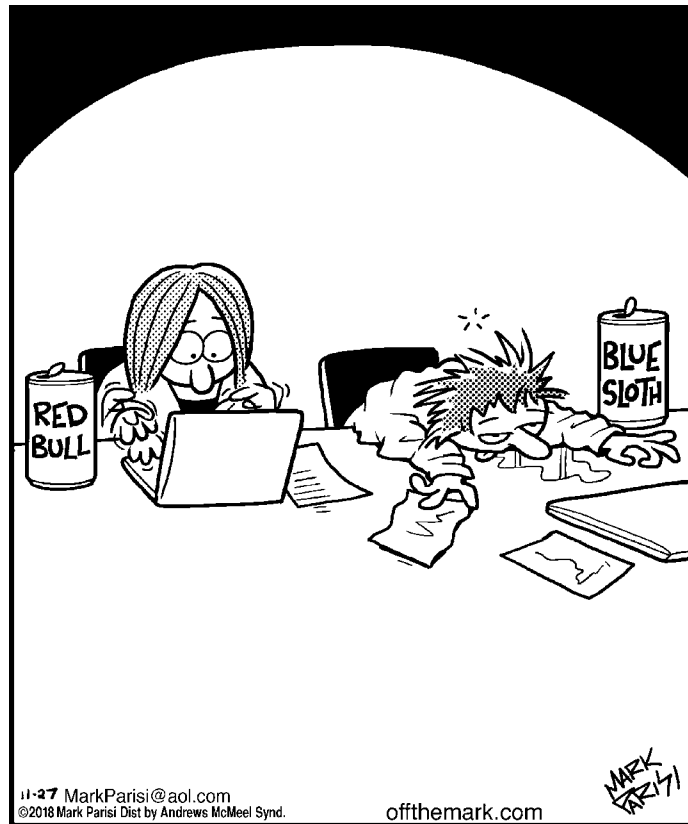
For specific questions, contact: Heather Sylvia at 508-998-0280 or Karen Gregory at 508-748-3570.

Can Alzheimer's Be Stopped?

On Thursday, November 1 join Dorene M. Rentz, PsyD, at the Mattapoisett Council on Aging for insight on the Alzheimer's research and findings and to watch the compelling PBS documentary Can Alzheimer's Be Stopped? This informational session will go from 4:00 pm to 6:00 pm. Registration is required. To register for the event, call 508-758-4110 or e-mail at coadirector@mattapoisett.net

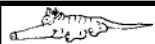
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Day	Date	High		Low	
		a.m.	p.m.	a.m.	p.m.
Thursday	November 29	12:27	12:51	5:45	7:37
Friday	November 30	1:27	1:51	7:18	8:52
Saturday	December 1	2:27	2:52	9:13	9:45
Sunday	December 2	3:30	3:56	10:19	10:26
Monday	December 3	4:31	4:55	11:10	10:58
Tuesday	December 4	5:26	5:48	11:52	11:27
Wednesday	December 5	6:15	6:36		12:30
Thursday	December 6	7:01	7:21	12:00	1:05
Friday	December 7	7:44	8:04	12:37	1:40
Saturday	December 8	8:26	8:46	1:17	2:17
Sunday	December 9	9:07	9:28	1:59	2:54
Monday	December 10	9:47	10:11	2:42	3:31
Tuesday	December 11	10:28	10:55	3:24	4:09
Wednesday	December 12	11:11	11:40	4:07	4:49
Thursday	December 13	11:54		4:52	5:33
Friday	December 14	12:25	12:37	5:44	6:25
Saturday	December 15	1:09	1:22	6:51	7:23
Sunday	December 16	1:55	2:11	8:10	8:19
Phases of the Moon		Last Quarter		November 29th	
		New Moon		December 7th	
		First Quarter		December 15th	
		Full Moon		December 22nd	



I Found the Aardvark!

Each week, hidden somewhere in the pages of *The Wanderer* is a tiny drawing of an aardvark. The little guy you are looking for looks exactly like the one pictured above (but don't put down this page as your answer, there's another one hidden somewhere in this issue).

Once you find the aardvark you can submit your answer online and if you are right you will get Aardvark Points! You can then use these points to get cool Aardvark Prizes!

To enter visit: www.wanderer.com and Click on *I Found the Aardvark*

In the November 22, 2018 issue the Aardvark was on page 37!

PUZZLE ANSWERS

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SCRAMBLERS

solution

1. Ogle; 2. Prone;
3. Score; 4. Ache

Today's Word

HOROSCOPE

Sudoku Answer

6	2	4	1	7	9	5	3	8
1	9	3	5	2	8	7	6	4
5	8	7	4	3	6	9	1	2
2	5	8	7	6	1	3	4	9
3	1	6	8	9	4	2	7	5
7	4	9	2	5	3	1	8	6
9	3	1	6	8	2	4	5	7
8	7	2	3	4	5	6	9	1
4	6	5	9	1	7	8	2	3

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**It's Easy to Shop at Plumb Corner Market!
Plenty of Parking • Friendly Service • Weekly Specials**

***Be sure to check out our selection of Prepared
Foods to make mealtimes easy and delicious!***

SALE EFFECTIVE: Friday, November 30 – Thursday, December 6, 2018

Blockbuster Savings!

USDA Choice Certified
Angus Beef® Boneless
Top Sirloin

Spoon
Roast
\$6⁹⁹
lb.



Plumb Corner
In-Store Roasted
Roast
Beef

\$9⁴⁹
lb.

4-6 oz. Selected
Yoplait
Yogurt

50¢



64 oz. Selected
Blue Diamond
Almond
Breeze

2/\$6



12 oz. Bottles
or Cans, Selected
Heineken

\$14⁹⁹
Plus Dep.



748 ml 4 Pack
California Wines
Select Varietals

Sutter
Home
\$5⁹⁹



Superior Quality Produce



Fresh
Honeycrisp Apples..... **\$1⁹⁹**
lb.

California
Navel Oranges **\$1⁴⁹**
lb.

Florida
Red Grapefruit..... **99¢**
ea.

Crisp
Broccoli Crowns..... **\$1⁶⁹**
lb.

First of the Season, 5 lb. Bag
Prince Edward Island
Potatoes..... **\$2⁴⁹**

ORGANIC! 1 lb. Pkg. Peeled
Mini Carrots..... **\$1⁹⁹**

SEE OTHER SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL GREAT SAVINGS THIS WEEK!